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PICTURE SHOW BURNS, NINETY LIVES ARE LOST

(By United Press.)

St. Petersburg, Russia, March 6.—Ninety persons, mostly children, were burned or trampled to death in a fire that destroyed a moving picture theatre at Bologie, 250 miles southeast of here Sunday.

Five-hundred persons were in the building and all rushed for the narrow exit at the rear. Order would have saved them all, but the mad scramble to safety jammed the doors. The men beat down all weaker persons to escape.

Forty persons were injured, many of them being seriously injured.

The scenes attending the mad rush for the exits were indescribable. The screams of the women, the shrieks of the children, the moans of the crushed and mangled, the roaring of the flames combined to make a scene of horror that baffles description.

CABINET MADE GOOD START

(By United Press.)

Paris, France, March 6.—The new cabinet of Premier Monis made a good start today by presenting to the Chamber of Deputies a program which was well received. Two items that made special appeals were the decision to re-in-state all discharged railway employes except the rioters and the strengthening of the army.

MOTHER TRIES TO SAVE HER SON

(By United Press.)

Denver, Colo., March 6—In order to save her son from the gallows, Mrs. Ellen Murphy, 70, today offered to take the stand and lie, and her son was likewise, through heredity.

Young Murphy, a city fireman, shot and killed a girl who refused to marry him. His attorneys hope to prove he is insane without accepting his mother's proffered sacrifice.

He Stole Stamps

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 6—Having confessed he stole and sold over $10,000 worth of stamps, Arthur M. Travers, chief clerk to the chief assistant postmaster general was today dismissed from the service. There will be no criminal prosecution against him.

Lawyer Is On Trial

(By United Press.)

Medina, O., March 6—The third of the Ashland county lawyers to go on trial today in the person of ex-Judge H. L. McGray was is charged with complicity in looting of the estate of Paul Oliver, a wealthy imbecile.

Two others were previously convicted, E. F. Schelly, a banker, getting 5 years and the appeal of Judge A. R. Campbell being still unsettled.

Mrs. Belle Penman, wife of Victor Penman, chief at the Busy Bee restaurant, is quite ill at her home in the north end.

An American Beauty Is Suing Turkish Pasha

Paris, March 6.—The sensational lawsuit started by Mrs. Cornelia Baxter Tevis McKee against Nedjib Melhamo Pasha, confidant of the former sultan of Turkey, Abdul Hamid, and one of his ministers, has aroused the fashionable circles of Europe as well as her many friends in this country, where she was born.

Mrs. McKee alleges that the Turk confiscated jewels and securities which she states she transferred to him for sale and the proceeds of which were to be re-invested. She claims that the Turk placed almost $500,000 worth of valuables and stocks and bonds in his possession, which she cannot now obtain. Nedjib Pasha denies her allegations.

Mrs. McKee, as Cornelia Baxter, was known in this country as "the beauty of Denver." Her marriage to Tevis and his death made her wealthy. Later she married Hart McKee, the Pittsburg millionaire, from whom she secured a divorce. She has a handsome residence in the Rue des St. Peres. Her suit is now in a magistrate's court, where two other charges of fraud have been made against the Turk.

ZION CITY RENT BY INTERNAL STRIFE

(By United Press.)

Zion City, Ill., March 6.—Torn by internal strife, and guarded here and there by men with Winchesters, this city founded by John Alexander Dowie, is confronted with a new peril. The state of Illinois decrees that the inhabitants must be vaccinated.

Wilbur Glenn Voliva, successor to Dowie, and leader of the faithful, says they will offer armed resistance to vaccination. Meanwhile, he has his hands full, in a fight against an Independent faction who are in the municipal offices and have let down the bars on cigars, cigarettes, oysters, pork and drugs, things which Voliva says are accursed. Fights between the factions are frequent and Voliva has armed guards around his house. Storekeepers say many of the people are on the verge of starvation.

N. & W.'s Coal Rates Are Being Probed

Washington, D. C., March 6.—(Spl.)—The West Virginia Coal rate cases involving freight rates from the various coal fields of the state to the lakes were taken up today before an examiner of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The Norfolk and Western rates were taken up first and testimony as to rates from the Pocahontas field was introduced these rates being compared with rates from other fields. The hearing is the result of a protest against an increase in rates announced by the railroads.

COLUMBUS HAS A FIRE

Columbus, O., March 6.—Fire early Sunday morning caused $22,000 loss to the plant and stock of the United States Carriage company, 309-319 South Fourth street, fully insured.

Mel Sesson and family Saturday moved to Gallipolis.

VACANCY IN THE TENTH

Washington, March 6.—A special examination for candidates for appointments as cadets at the West Point Military Academy has been ordered to take place May 2nd. There are 120 vacancies to be filled and candidates will be examined at the nearest military post to where they reside. The Ohio vacancies include the Tenth district.

TRUST CASES NOT DECIDED

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 6—The supreme court indicated it would not render decision in the big trust cases today.

Indiana Desperado Trapped In A Barn

(By Associated Press.)

Elwood, Ind., March 6.—James M. Walker, who on Saturday night shot and killed Patrolman Virgil Kirkman, and probably fatally wounded Chief of Police, Ellis, both of Alexandria, this state, after robbing a jewelry store, and then escaped, was captured this morning in a barn on a farm five miles south of Elwood. He made no resistance, despite his reputation as a desperate character.

WEST VIRGINIA LOST IN THE BIG TAX CASE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 6.—The Supreme Court held that $7,182,507 is the proportion of the Thirty-Three Million of the old Virginia state debt which West Virginia is under obligations to bear.

The court left the final details, including the question of interest, to the states to decide by conference.

Justice Holmes, who announced the opinion, said the court had regarded the ratio of valuation of real and personal property of the two states at the time of their separation as the proper basis for arriving at West Virginia's proportion of the debt. The court excluded from this valuation the value of slaves.

Justice Holmes said ratio was as .765 to .235. The thirty-three million dollar debt would have been divided according this ratio he said had not Virginia by subsequent legislation changed the amount apportioned. The justice said Virginia induced its creditors to accept twenty-two million dollars as its share of the debt whereas by the court's figures Virginia's share would be twenty-five million dollars. The difference between these sums namely three million dollars should be subtracted from the thirty-three million debt. This left about thirty million to be apportioned. West Virginia's proportion of this would be $7,182,507.46 he said.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, March 6.—The supreme court decision in the Virginia-West Virginia litigation was followed by excited biddings and sensational advance in Virginia debt certificates which jumped several points at a time to 67½ compared with 48¾, the previous sale of last month.

CLARENCE HAD A SCHEDULE

(By United Press.)

Richmond, Va., March 6.—Clarence Moles, 26, is feeling well today, after trying to kill himself, last week as follows:

Monday—gas.
Tuesday—Drowning.
Wednesday—A street car.
Thursday—Hanging.
Friday—Tried to choke himself with a stick.
Saturday—Tried to dash out his brains against a cell wall.

On the seventh day Clarence rested.

BABY CRIED FOR WATER, IS GIVEN CARBOLIC ACID

(By United Press.)

Albany, N. Y., March 6.—Charged with the murder of her baby boy, by giving him carbolic acid when he asked for water, at a lonely swamp, near this city, Mrs. Edith Melber, was placed on trial today.

The state claims she wanted to get the boy out of her way so she could marry again. A first degree verdict and the death penalty will be demanded. So strong is the feeling against her that Supreme Court Justice Howard, who presides, ordered a special police guard in the court room.

Mrs. Melber's defense will be insanity. Her attorneys say she is a mental and physical wreck dying of quick consumption. This, the porsecution denies. Mrs. Melber claims she killed her son in a sudden fit of despondency but denies she planned the crime.

STREET CAR BLOCKADE

Street car traffic on the main line was at a standstill for more than an hour Saturday evening, the delay being caused by a broken brake rod on one of the big cars, which caused it to nearly jump the track at the corner of Ninth and Findlay streets.

It was impossible to move the car, and the wrecking crew was sent out. After and hour's hard work, the car was switched onto the hill top tracks and traffic was resumed. The damage done to the track was insignificant.

Road Cases Dismissed

The fact that there was an error in the summons issued by Squire Lowry against the fifteen men in Clay township, who refused to put in their two days work on the roads, resulted in the dismissal of the men Saturday, when they faced the Squire. One the suggestion of their attorney, however, they paid in their $1.00 each, $1.00 of which went to their attorney and $1.00 to the township treasury.

The error in the summons was the result of carelessness on the part of a constable who did not think it necessary to fill out all the blanks. His oversight meant that he as well as the Squire lost all the costs in the cases, and it would have, by the way, amounted to something over $30. The constable was pretty wrothy over the dismissal of the cases, but the Squire held for the defendants, even though he lost heavily by his decision.

CAPITAL STOCK INCREASED

Columbus, O., March 6—(Spl.)—The Morton-Heer company of Portsmouth, increased its capital stock from $10,000 to $35,000.

BLAKE.

SEN. BAILEY WITHDRAWS RESIGNATION

Washington, D. C., March 6.—Senator Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, who got mad and resigned Saturday, because he could not have his way, reconsidered and withdrew his resignation when he cooled down.

Senator Bailey's reason for resigning was the failure of the Democrats in the senate to follow his leadership in the consideration of the Arizona constitution, to which he was violently opposed. He was against the initiative and referendum clause and the recall of public officials, particularly in its application to judges. The Texas statesman had been a member of the upper house of congress since 1901. He was re-elected in 1907 at the expiration of his first term.

PROTEST TO BE WITHDRAWN BY SHIPPERS

Washington, D. C., March 6.—(Spl.)—The Bluefield Shippers' Association, which recently filed a voluminous complaint against the N. & W., and other railroads alleging discrimination against shippers to and from Bluefield, has decided to withdraw their complaint. J. W. Ruff, J. M. Andrews, and C. O. Wright accompanied by Judge Ritz, their attorney, arrived here this morning as a committee of the association to call off the case which was set for a hearing on Wednesday.

Is Out Again.

John Lauter, suburban expressman, who fractured his knee cap several months ago, is now able to hobble about New Boston on crutches.

ADVOCATES A NEW BUREAU

(By United Press.)

New York, March 6.—A new government department, to study railroad expenses and experiment in economics was advocated by Louis Bradeis before the federal railroad securities commission today. He pointed out that this would bring out everything available on the subject and spare the roads the enormous expense of individual research.

Stage Struck, Elsie Is Given A Husband

(By United Press.)

Springfield, O., March 6.—Harry Bernbaum, local merchant, today married Miss Elsie D. Gertle, 18, of Cincinnati, at Chicago, where he and Mrs. Gertle, Elsie's mother, had overtaken her. She was stage struck and on her way to Los Angeles to adopt the footlights. The girl is wealthy. Her mother took Harry as the lesser of two evils after long opposing the match.

TENEMENT BURNS, MANY ARE INJURED

(By United Press.)

Cleveland, O., March 6.—One man is missing and probably dead, six are fatally injured, and 20 are badly hurt as the result of a fire which rapidly destroyed a three story apartment house early today.

The place was occupied by families of foreigners who were forced to jump from the windows. This caused most of their injuries. Some were hurt by the collapse of the roof of the burning building.

SCANDAL IN ITALIAN ARMY

(By United Press.)

Rome, Italy, March 6.—Radicals in parliament are demanding a searching investigation of the war office, alleging laxity and favoritism. The supposed poisoning of Colonel Scolari, head of the fortifications department, following close upon the heels is of the Paterno-Di Tragino affair, have started stories of scandal and of Austrian spying. Three of Scolarie's insubordinates are under arrest. Paterno continues to improve and his physicians claim his insanity is a bluff.

LAWLER HAS RESIGNED

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 6.—Oscar Lawler, prominent during the Ballinger trial as author of the famous Lawler letter, has resigned from the department of the interior to take effect May 1st. He will return to his law practice in California.

COMMITTEE IS IN SESSION

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 6.—The majority members of the new ways and means committee of the new Democratic house of representatives held their first meeting today to begin the formulation of a program which may include the selection of all standing committees as well as a decision in regard to the extent the extraordinary session will go in the matter of revising the tariff.

Railroads Accepted Decision

(By United Press.)

Washington, March 6.—Following a conference of railroad presidents with the interstate commerce commission, every western railroad will accept as final, the rate decisions recently handed down in which the commission prohibited an increase in rates contemplated by the roads.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 6—A conference between the interstate commerce commission and important officials of eastern trunk lines was held here today regarding the cancellation of proposed advances in rates in official classification territory.

Charles, 12 year old son of Charles Larkins, of the West Side, who has been very ill for a week is now threatened with typhoid fever.

SECURITIES STOLEN FROM RICH BROKER

(By United Press.)

New York, March 6.—The sending out of a ticker alarm for missing securities today gave the first news of a bold robbery last Thursday when about $100,000 of securities, many of them negotiable were stolen from George Bancroft, 80, head of the big brokerage firm George Bancroft & Co. He had the securities in a Manila envelope and was knocked down by a man who ran into him in a crowd. The man quickly hastened the envelope which had been dropped and helped Bancroft to his feet. When Bancroft looked into the envelope later, it contained only blank paper.

The police expect much trouble in getting clues to the perpetrators of the robbery as its perpetrators had executed their plans with great care.

A BAD FIRE AT MINNEAPOLIS, ONE IS DEAD

Minneapolis, Minn., March 6.—A whole section of this city was threatened by a fire that started just before daylight Sunday in the Syndicate Block, Nicollet avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and a loss of $1,000,000 was inflicted before the fire was subdued several hours later.

Twelve persons were rescued from the upper stories of the building while the flames were roaring around them. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Mary Buck, proprietor of a restaurant, who was one of the two women supposed to be missing, was located today. Bertha Radens, the other missing woman has not yet been located.

NIGHT RIDERS ON TRIAL

(By United Press.)

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 6.—Milton Oliver and Staford Hall arrived here today under heavy militia guard to testify in the night rider trial. The court docket is so crowded that the cases may not be reached until tomorrow morning. The town is packed with strangers here to attend the trial.

BILLY BUTT IN THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Got "that tired feeling" those real, bright sunshiny days last week and while I went to sleep on the job, a cog slipped and some old fashioned March weather was handed out. Of course it won't last long but you know when you get started one way it takes some time to get out of the rut. Even notice that? That's why you get this weather to-morrow.

Ohio, West Virginia, Unsettled tonight, Tuesday colder.

Indiana, Probably rain tonight or Tuesday colder in extreme southern portion.

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EASY ENOUGH.

The Jackson Herald wants to know how The Times can say Representative Frick keeps steadily on the job and is generally found voting right, when he voted for the Dean bill.

The Times can say it because it is exactly the truth. Representative Frick's vote on the Dean bill in no wise effects the statement that he generally votes right. His declarations before the election were so plain on the subject, that there was no reason to doubt of his position of the subject. By his vote he kept his words and an understanding those who voted for him must have had when they did so. It is a virtue these days for a legislator to keep after election the faith he bred before election, even if the Jackson Herald believes be thereby goes wrong. All the ills we have in legislation grow out of officials disappointing the majority which chooses them.

Perhaps, in some instances, Representative Frick voted as we would not have voted, were we in his place, but we have been keeping rather close watch on his votes and we must say that invariably they have shown he exercises courage and honesty and to a good degree judgment that unfortunately do not appear to be entirely common, even in this legislature.

THANKS, SENATOR, THANKS.

To paraphrase the language of the small boy, there won't be no no federal court established at Portsmouth, at least not this year.

For this we may thank Senator Burton, who seems to have some aspiration to be considered a watch dog of the treasury. Poor little Charlie Dick, he tried his best to do something for us, but the other gentleman from Ohio ran a rusty pinhead into him and he said, ouch, and quit, because it was no use to make further effort.

And now what will Postmaster, alias Editor Hard of the Blade say? He has been slobbering over Burton, ever since the latter to his chagrin, assumed the toga and his soul has been peeved and anguished because The Times has not at all occasions found it in its great heart to approve the Clevelander. He ought to rise to the heights and say something real saucy—he's on his second and last term as postmaster and what he says as editor won't hurt himself much.

But there is another day and another session of the senate coming. Let us not then give up hope, but avail the joyful coming of that other day.

The house got on its high horse, Friday, and pummeled one of its would-be smothering committees about in elegant style. We call the attention of the more or less esteemed Jackson Herald that Representative Frick was one of those that got his boot in action.

We believe there is a law on the statute books of Ohio which says doors of all public buildings shall open to the outside. We wonder why that law is not enforced in the state capitol building.

There will be 121 new members in the congress, which President Taft will cause to assemble in extraordinary session, this month. That is not bad, but we do not want new men so much as new measures.

Sure the world is growing better. Weren't both of the party machines smashed in the Chicago primary at the same time.

SUSTAINS HOGAN.

The common pleas court of Trumbull county sustains Timothy Hogan, who as attorney general, gave the opinion, that county officials, elected in 1910, should be paid on the basis of the federal census for that year. In this the present attorney general overruled his immediate predecessor, who just before his exit had given an diametrical opposite opinion.

Not only the court, but common sense sustains Attorney General Hogan. The census was taken before the officials were elected and the extraneous fact that the census department was extremely dilatory in announcing the result thereof, so as to have it come after election, does not alter the law, which bases the salary of officials on the population of the county as ascertained by the federal court immediately preceding.

SLIGHTLY GUILTY.

The Republican-News wants Hamilton to be at a retreat from the spurious practice of naming its thoroughfares, avenues and get back to the good-old habit of calling them streets.

Such an indictment as that can scarcely be brought against Portsmouth. She has the best streets in the state and is not ashamed to so designate them. In only minor instances has she offended by departure from these, having only five "avenues" and one "place."

Fifty students are said to have been suspended from Hiram college. As nobody seems to know anything about Hiram college this must be a rather clever dodge to get it some free advertising.

A cut of $600 has been made in the salary of the Mayor of Ironton. Is that because it is thought the present incumbent will be elected, or that he will not be?

Taft gave up all to the standpatters on the tariff and they would concede nothing to him later on. That is the way of politics.

Has anybody noted how slow the pesky critters are running since the auto club resolved the speed law must be observed?

Noted Editor To Lecture

Hon. James Carroll of Columbus, editor of the Catholic Columbian and state president of the Federation of Catholic Societies will deliver a lecture at Holy Redeemer church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The subject will likely be "Catholic Organizations." Messrs. John H. Lange, John F. Flannigan and Ralph Scheffler, members of the Scioto county federation will have charge of arrangements.

Glen Roy Robbery.

Glen Roy, O., March 6.—While Mr. and Mrs. Richard Poole were attending a meeting of the Rebekah lodge, their house was robbed, $29 being taken.

Case Dismissed.

The case of Schloss & Co against Ed Stahler, an N. & W. express messenger heard in Squire Byron's court Monday morning was dismissed. Horace L. Small defended Stahler.

Threatens To Sue

Nathan Myers, a Columbus attorney, writes Prosecuting Attorney Small that he intends to come into the county commissioners for damages by reason of his automobile being smashed up on the Chillicothe pike last summer.

He was motoring through the county and while passing over the Chillicothe pike where the new pavement was being put down his machine run into a stump and he claims that it was badly damaged. He asks the commissioners to make it all right with him or he will bring suit against them for damages. The board claims that it is not liable for damages as their contract with Kaps brothers who built the pike, releases them from any responsibility as to damages while the road was being constructed. They will fight any claim that Mr. Myers may present.

Repaid Friend By Stealing

A colored hobo whom Al Jones took pity on and gave lodging and meals Sunday night at his restaurant on East Eleventh street, skipped out during the night with a lot of clothing and personal effects of a roomer there. The police were notified and a search was instituted but the fellow evidently made himself scarce in these "diggins."

Mrs. C. A. Stevens, grandmother of Roy McElhaney, is expected home from Texarkona next week. Mrs. Stevens spent the winter there and is reported in the best of health.

Condition Is Encouraging

Mrs. Carl Hansen, upon whom a critical operation was performed Saturday, continues her splendid rally therefrom, and her husband and physicians are delighted with the rapid progress she is making towards recovery. The latter praise her as one of the bravest patients who ever went under the knife.

Runaways Back Home

Caleb Faivre and Ralph Foster, two runaway boys, were brought back from Greenup by relatives Monday. The Faivre boy had taken with him some of his own savings to see him through on his trip. He had accumulated a neat little sum of money.

POCKET BOOK WAS FOUND

The honesty of Robert Shaw a deliveryman in the employ of Dalton Bros., West Second street grocer, enabled H. Kabool, a Syrian peddler, to recover a pocketbook containing $29 which he lost Monday morning.

The Syrian dropped his purse in alighting from a street car at Second and Madison streets and, it was shortly after picked up by Shaw. About an hour later the Syrian greatly excited called at the grocery and established his claim to the pocketbook. He was so overjoyed over its return that he presented Shaw with a razor, pair of scissors and many other useful articles.

NEW TREATMENT WAS USED HERE

Perhaps the first local administration of the widely discussed "606 specific" was given to a patient at the Hempstead hospital and the patient was reported doing splendidly Monday.

No. 606 is injected into the veins like a saline solution. Four ounces are pumped into the arteries.

The discovery has caused more discussion in medical circles than any that has been made in the past century.

Runs Spike Into Foot

Lawrence Yinger, aged 20, accidentally ran a spike through a rubber boot into his foot at Nauvoo Monday morning. He was assisted home by his father, Fred Yinger.

Lost Leg On N&W

James Aldridge, a negro railroad laborer of Petersburg, Va., while returning from Chillicothe fell from an N. & W. train and had a leg severed one mile this side of Piketon Sunday morning. The crew of an extra freight found him alongside the track and turned him over to county authorities. He was still alive Monday.

Fixed Up Charge

Francis Shonkwiler, indicted by the recent grand jury on a charge of non-support, was in before Judge Blair on Monday and straightened the matter up. The court ordered him to pay $1.50 per week for the support of the child. This he agreed to do and paid for the first month while at the court house.

Jake's Horse Is Praised

The Lima turf news correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer on Sunday had a very complimentary reference to Jake Pfau's horse, Fletcher Burns. The correspondent reports that Burns will be raced again this year, and an effort made to give him a record of 2:10 or better. He is a very fast horse, and a promising sire, several of his colts having shown up well with just a little training.

Glory Be, Bob's Here

Senator Bob Taylor of Tennessee, who will give one of his famous lectures at Bigelow tonight, arrived this afternoon direct from Washington. He is quartered at the Washington.

Mr. Taylor has disappointed Bigelow patrons several times, but this is one engagement that he is going to fill. He is a favorite here and will be greeted by a magnificent audience.

Named As Guardian.

John H. Conley has been appointed by the probate court as guardian of Edward Walls, a minor, 13 years of age.

At Hospital.

Mrs. A. R. Poe of Center street, a typhoid fever patient, was on Monday afternoon conveyed to the Hempstead hospital.

AUTO STUCK IN MUD HOLE

While out enjoying a spin 'round the voulevard Sunday Sam Wise, North Chillicothe street merchant tailor, came to grief when he steered into a mud hole. The machine sunk into the muck axle deep and not until Adam Bobst came to the rescue with a team of horses was the auto party able to proceed. Besides Mr. Wise and wife, Adam Geisler, Jr., and family were in the auto.

N. & W. Train Was Delayed

N. & W. passenger train No. 15, due here from the east at 3:10 p. m. was reported over four hours late Monday, due to a temporary bridge on the Pocahontas division being down. Trains were made up here for Columbus and Cincinnati that went out on schedule time.

Agents Keep Clarence Busy

Clarence Closterman, of the East End Furniture Company, is being bothered to death by agents who want to sell him a complete outfit for his new manufacturing plant, which, it was erroneously stated, the East End Furniture Company expected to establish. On Monday a salesman came clear from New York to sell him all the gas engines he would need, while he has received more than one hundred catalogues setting forth the merits of certain kinds of machines.

Are to Have Joint Debate

The Daughters of America and Jr. O. U. A. M. will jointly debate the question "Resolved that Immigration is more detrimental than Liquor," March 17th.

Enlarging His Grocery

George H. Sheppard is enlarging his grocery at Fourth and Court strets having added another room in the Wilhelmette building to his use.

Double Wedding.

The town of St. Paul, Ky., was the scene of a double wedding on Monday morning. The bride's, Lily and Della Nelson, are sisters, the former marrying Newt. Skeens and the other becoming the wife of E. C. Coburn.

DISTRESS IN STOMACH AND DYSPEPSIA GO

If what you just ate is souring on your stomach or lies like a lump of lead, refusing to digest, or you belch Gas and Eructate sour, undigested food, or have a feeling of Dizziness, Heartburn, Fullness, Nausea, Bad taste in mouth and stomach headache—this is Indigestion.

A full case of Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents and will thoroughly cure your out-of-order stomach, and leave sufficient about the house in case some one else in the family may suffer from stomach trouble or Indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist to show you the formula plainly printed on these 50-cent cases, then you will understand why Dyspeptic trouble of all kinds must go and why they usually relieve sour, out-of-order stomachs or Indigestion in five minutes. Diapepsin is harmless and tastes like candy, though each dose contains power sufficient to digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat besides, it makes you go to the table with a healthy appetite; but, what will please you most, is that you will feel that your stomach and intestines are clean and fresh, and you will not need to resort to laxatives or liver pills for Biliousness or Constipation.

This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this stomach preparation, too, if you ever try a little for Indigestion or Gastritis or any other Stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and forever rid yourself of Stomach Trouble and Indigestion.

Whole Family Is Afflicted

The entire family of Lawrence Fitch, butcher of New Boston, including Mrs. Fitch and the five children are down with the measles. One of the smaller children was reported in a bad condition on Monday evening.

The disease has become quite an epidemic in Stewartsville and many families in New Boston are also afflicted.

Located At Chillicothe

Arthur, the 13-year-old son of William Shipps, an N. & W. car repairer, of No. 660 East Eighth street, and who ran away from home Sunday was located at Chillicothe Monday through the efforts of the police. A relatives will go after the boy.

Auto Ran Into N. & W. Engine

An automobile filled with men and women ran into the tank of N. & W. yard engine No. 583 at Maison road, Hyde park, Monday morning at 1 o'clock. The driver, Fred Honderach was badly injured.

Is Taken Worse.

Mrs. George A. Goodman, who was taken ill on the eve of her intended departure for Pinehurst, N. C, took a turn for the worse Sunday night. Mrs. Goodman was reported little or no better Monday.

Card From Mrs. Rice

Portsmouth, O., March 6, 1911
To the Editor of The Times:—

Will you allow me space in your paper to make a few corrections in regards to the arrest of Forest Rice, which occurred at the Rice home Friday evening.

It would not have been necessary for so many officers to surround the house to arrest a sixteen year old boy, for he did not make one effort to get away. He simply asked Chief McCarty to permit him to eat his supper which request was granted him, Chief McCarty standing in the dining room door while he ate and as for him saying that I and Russell Lozier were over in Kentucky before he was accused it is all a mistake for Chief McCarty asked him where he had been this afternoon and he replied I and Russell Lozier were over in Kentucky. And as for him knowing something about the hold-up of Earl Clare, Jr., and John Noel this winter, it is absurd as on that evening he did not leave the house. It is bad enough as it is to have him to act so without making it any worse.

MRS. JAMES W. RICE.

Eli Peak, an N. & W. Terminal employee is lying at the point of death at 652 Vinton avenue. He is a victim of typhoid fever and on Monday afternoon suffered a hemorrhage. His relatives in West Virginia have been telegraphed for.

Carnival Man Here.

William Weider, well known Jackson county carnival man, was in Portsmouth Monday holding a conference with Will Baker, chairman of the entertainment committee of Central Labor Council in regard to holding a street fair here early this spring en route to Indiana where he has engagements booked for several weeks.

Bumps Wharfboat.

The steamer Virginia in making a landing here Sunday struck against the wharfboat with such force as to snap in twain a large spar pole at the upper end of the wharf.

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Five Boys Started Out To See World

A sudden wave of Wanderlust seemed to have struck Portsmouth Sunday no less than five youngsters leaving for parts unknown.

Caleb Faivre, aged 13, and Ernest Foster, aged 15, are two of the missing. Caleb is reported to have taken $25 along and he and young Foster were last seen at the C. & O. depot in South Portsmouth buying tickets for Greenup, Ky. The parents of the boy left on a later train in hopes of overtaking the runaways.

Slabtown contributed three of the youths reported lost. They are Millard Hodge, aged 16, of No. 111 East Front street, John Harvey, a son of Mrs. Al McCraw and Tom Nixon, a son of George Nixon, of Mill street. The trio are said to have planned their flight a week ago informing some friends they would not stop traveling until they had reached St. Louis. They were seen to board a westbound C. & O. freight train at South Portsmouth Sunday evening about 5 o'clock. Nixon had pawned his father's shot gun for $2 and an overcoat. The father appeared at police headquarters later in the evening all wrought up over his son's act. He asked that every effort be made to apprehend him promising if caught to have his boy sent straightway to the Lancaster Reform school. Chief McCarty has communicated with the Cincinnati authorities in an effort to round up the missing trio.

Police for a time late Sunday night thought a sixth lad had disappeared when George, young son of George Schroeder, the harness maker and saddler, was reported missing since 2 p. m. The boy is employed as a messenger for the Postal Telegraph company. Manager Charles Pugh was not home when relatives and Judge Beatty, who is a neighbor of the Schroeder family, called there to make inquiry about the boy. As hour after hour passed with no sign of the boy the fear grew upon his people that perhaps he had met with foul play and it was decided to notify the police. It was then past ten o'clock and not the slightest trace had been received of the boy. Manager Pugh was found at his apartments and then it was learned that young Schroeder had crossed the river into Kentucky Sunday evening at 5 o'clock to deliver a message. While the searchers were anxiously debating the matter word came to them the boy had safely turned up at home and that no harm had befallen him he simply having taken shelter at a farm house from the heavy rain and taken his time about returning to the Ohio side.

Got Information.

Henry Rottinghaus has supplied Si Barlow with the information he sought relative to the old market house in the West End. Mr. Rottinghaus says the market house was razed in the fall of 1872 and the late Captain Nichols led in the work.

Takes Position.

William Barry, of West Second street, has re-entered the employ of Contractor Henry Bossman and will work on a new bridge that his forces are constructing in Jackson county.

Signals Of Distress

Portsmouth People Should Know How to Read and Heed Them.

Sick kidneys give many signals of distress.

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INJURED WOMAN AT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Oscar Tillett, the South Portsmouth woman, who was trampled by a horse and badly hurt, was removed to Hempstead hospital by Lynn's ambulance early Sunday morning. Mrs. Tillett was reported resting very comfortably Monday morning.

"Bitter" Owens Is Married

The word reached Portsmouth on Sunday that Charles better known as "Bitter" Owens, a local colored young man, had married a Columbus girl. The name of the bride has not as yet been learned by Owens' relatives here. "Bitter" for the past year has been employed as a porter on the Pennsylvania railroad.

DODGED THE POLICE

Buck Kennedy, the well known boxer, and who is wanted for fighting on the streets several nights ago, has been successfully dodging the police.

Kennedy was standing at Fourth and Chillicothe streets on Saturday night when he noticed Capt. Albrecht and Officer Walker approaching. With the words "Here comes the bulls," Kennedy broke into a run, disappearing down a nearby alley. Later in the night the police called at the Kennedy home in hopes of surprising him but he was nowhere to be found.

Complain of Boys.

Complaint was made to the police that boys were annoying residents in the vicinity of Grant and High streets. The officers were also appealed to to break up the practice of loafing in front of the opera house and Wiechens cigar store.

Factories to Have Exhibit

The Ohio Retail Shoe Dealers will hold their annual meeting at the Chittenden Hotel in Columbus March 7-10 and the Selby Shoe Co., Irving Drew Co., and the Excelsior Co. of this city will have an exhibit at the meeting. It will be attended by shoe manufacturers throughout the middle west.

Was Incorporated.

The Lay-Watterson Shoe Co., of Janesville, Wis., has just been incorporated for $60,000. H. H. Watterson, one of the owners, was until two months ago, employed by the Selby Shoe Co.

On Western Trip.

Linn Lloyd of the Lloyd-Adams Shoe Co., who departed on an extended trip through the west a few days ago spent Sunday in Salt Lake City. He is going on to the coast.

Walter Bierly, of 78 East Fourth street, who has been ill with tonsilitis, is now improving and is able to be out again.

Police Go To Aid Of A Poor Family

Numerous persons were moved to pity Sunday over the sad plight of James Gregg and his family, they having lost their all in a fire that destroyed their home near McDermott Friday night.

The husband and father, his wife and two young children, Alfred, aged 4 and George, Jr., aged 2 years, had walked the entire distance to town arriving here on Saturday night penniless and without hopes of finding a night's lodging. Police Officers Goings and Cropper were attracted by the unfortunates wandering about the vicinity of the N. & W. depot. Learning of their circumstances the officers donated enough money to secure sleeping accommodations for the family at a nearby restaurant. The family, it developed, was trying to find some way of getting back to Boyd's Crossing, near Washington C. H., the former home of Mrs. Gregg. Gregg himself though a native of Ohio has no real home. He came to the vicinity of McDermott from near Peebles two months ago and has been working in a stone quarry. On Friday night about 11 o'clock his wife woke up to find the bed quilt on fire and the house, a two-room one-story affair, rapidly filling with smoke. By the time she and the others managed to reach the outside the interior of the house had been transformed into a seething furnace and nothing was saved, the family fleeing in their night clothes to the nearest farm house.

Gregg called at police headquarters Sunday and asked for aid in sending his wife and children to Washington C. H. He himself was willing to walk if necessary. Chief McCarty was greatly affected by the man's unfortunate circumstances and directed Officer Galford to do what he could towards helping them. Galford entered upon the work with spirit and in less than several hours' time had succeeded in raising $13 for the family. Tickets to Washington C. H. were bought and $11 in cash turned over to Gregg's wife. The family were overjoyed. Gregg himself braced up and appeared a changed man when he turned to thank some of the bystanders who had contributed to the relief fund. He and family then boarded an N. & W. train for Chillicothe.

Going Ahead.

Cincinnati, March 6.—The Norfolk and Western management sent word to Cincinnati yesterday that it will go ahead with the improvements on the Pocohontas and Scioto divisions and on the Petersburg (Va.) belt line. The road is now building 500 new steel cars at its Roanoke (Va.) shops, and other work is being turned out at the other shops. A large appropriation has also been made for improving terminals of the road in Columbus.

An Operation.

Edward King, C. & O. switchman, was taken to the road's hospital, at Clifton Forge, Va., last night, where he will undergo a surgical operation.

Floyd Moeller and Wm. Staiger visited friends in Chillicothe Sunday evening.

W. C. Taylor To Visit Here

Walter C. Taylor, who on January 1st, became editor-in-chief of the Boot and Shoe Recorder of Boston, will make a short visit here in a week or two.

On his return from a swing through the west and south Mr. Taylor will stop off to visit old friends and to get some inside information concerning the local shoe factories.

Mr. Taylor was formerly engaged in the newspaper business here. For several years after leaving here he was employed in St. Louis on the Shoe and Leather Gozette.

A Dreadful Sight

To H. J. Barnum, of Froeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Piles like magic. Only 25c at the Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, O.

To Work For Leet Lumber Co.

Ernest Hammer of Marysville, O., has accepted a position in the office of the Leet Lumber Co. He will relieve Albert Graf of a great deal of his work. Mr. Hammer Monday rented Cecil Miller's old home at 376 East Eleventh street and he will be joined at once by his family.

MAY CHANGE CAMP'S NAME

The Sons of Veterans will meet in regular session at their hall over the Security Bank, Gallia square, Wednesday evening. At this meeting a proposition to consolidate with the old Vienna Camp, No. 33, of this city, and take the name and equipment of the latter camp will be up for final action. If the change is made the camp will hereafter be known as Vienna Camp No. 20, Ohio Division. All members interested are urged to be present.

Will N. Gableman, city auditor, and E. H. Hansford, past division commander of Kentucky division, will be initiated at this meeting. There are also others, and a big meeting is expected.

Saw a Prowler.

Andy Wolfe reported to the police Sunday night that a suspicious acting stranger was loitering in the vicinity of his East Eleventh street store. The fellow disappeared before an officer could reach the scene.

Offered Job.

C. E. Moore, an edgesetter employed at the Selby factory has been offere da foremanship in one of the Columbus factories and he will probably accept it.

Has Been Ill.

Peter Centner, formerly of this city, and now located at Hamilton, O., has been ill the past week.

Thomas Phipps, who has lived here for the past year, Saturday moved back to his former home in Morgan county, Ky.

My Lungs "I have coughed and coughed until my lungs are sore and weak." Go at once to your doctor. Do not delay another hour. Ask him all about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Then take it or not, as he says. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

How to Make Currant Bread

Housewives who have heard about the wholesomeness of Currant Bread and know that it is as nourishing as it is "good to eat" will appreciate these two new recipes:

No. 1—Scald 2½ cups milk. When cool add three tablespoonfuls sugar, a little salt, and butter the size of an egg. Dissolve ¼ compressed yeast cake in half cup warm water and add to milk. Stir in flour enough to make a batter and add one pound of currants washed and dried. Add flour. When raised knead again and place in pans for baking. Be sure to allow enough time for bread to raise in the pans.

No. 2—Scald (do not boil) 1½ cups sweet milk and one cup water. When tepid add ½ cake compressed yeast, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and a teaspoonful of salt. Stir in enough whole-wheat flour to make a stiff batter. Allow to raise. When light add one egg, one tablespoonful of melted butter, 1½ cups of cleansed and dried currants. Beat well, then add whole-wheat flour to make a soft dough. Work well, mould into two loaves, let raise until light, and then bake thoroughly.

There is nothing so good as Currant Bread for growing children. It makes ideal school lunches. That no butter is needed is also worth considering.

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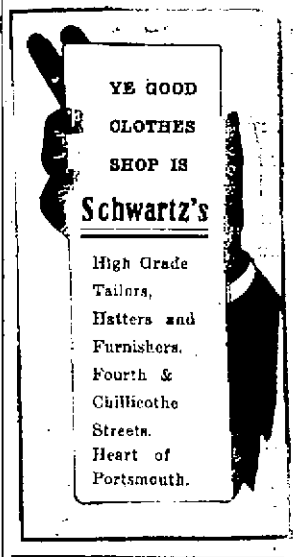

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N. & W. DEPOT WAS ROBBED

The Norfolk and Western freight depot at Sciotoville was broken into on Saturday night and two gallons of whiskey taken. The same parties then came down to Millbrook park, and breaking into the lunch stand at the waiting station, took a quantity of eatables. Nothing else in either of the places entered was bothered.

Marshall Fitch, of New Boston, is working on the cases and he expects to land the guilty parties in a short time. He has already traced the deed to a couple of foreigners employed at the steel plant, but is waiting to locate the goods before making any arrests.

The parties at first broke open a tool chest belonging to a Mr. Turner at Sciotoville and took a couple of chisels with which to pry open the doors of the freight house and the doors of the lunch room at the waiting station. The same chisels were used at both places.

ARE GOING INTO THE GARDENING BUSINESS

Hugh Tremper and Kenyon Johnson have decided to supply about one-half of the citizens of our beloved and growing metropolis with garden truck this coming summer. They have secured a few acres from Dr. W. D. Tremper, out on the Hayman farm, have built themselves a comfortable shack and are preparing to go into the garden business in the right and proper manner. They are going to raise everything there is going and sell it for real coin of the realm.

MAKES REFERENCE TO PORTSMOUTH MATTERS

The Morning Irontonian of Sunday has a couple of editorials on Portsmouth topics. It says:

"Down at Portsmouth, Judge Blair had the audacity to temper justice with mercy in the case of a bootlegger up for second offense. Had he done such a thing in Ironton, the judge's temperance record would not have saved him from being mobbed. But then, Portsmouth is not taking its temperance problems quite so seriously as Ironton and strange to say, the churches are overlowing."

"We feel safe in assuring our readers who remember the Portsmouth Blade of several decades back, that the recall of Editor Valjean from California does not mean that they will have to be too circumspect when they visit the River City. We understand that Brother Valjean has reformed after 20 years of schooling in moderation and that his classic style is still good for an intellectual menu, even without the gall and wormwood."

One Big Fool

But He Doesn't Live in Portsmouth Nor Read The Times.

A man in Connecticut gave a doctor, a specialist in catarrh, $50 to cure him of this common, yet most obnoxious disease.

The specialist gave him a bottle of medicine and told him to use it.

The fool took the medicine home, took one dose, put it on a shelf and made no further effort to follow instructions.

Three months later with the medicine still on the shelf he told a friend that the specialist was a fake; that he had paid him $50 and still had catarrh.

HYOMEI (pronounce it High-o-me) won't cure catarrh if you don't breathe it; it will if you breathe it regularly.

Furthermore, you don't need to give a catarrh specialist $50 to cure you of catarrh, for the specialist is yet to be born who can write a better prescription than HYOMEI.

Wurster Bros. and druggists everywhere guarantee HYOMEI to cure catarrh of money back. A complete outfit which consists of a bottle of HYOMEI, a hard rubber inhaler and simple instructions for use costs only $1.00. Separate bottles of HYOMEI, if afterwards needed, cost but 50 cents.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Town Was Crowded.

Frank Legler, who, with his family, recently moved back to El Paso, Texas, met with some unexpected conditions upon their arrival in the border city. Mr. Legler found not a single house available the city having become filled up with strangers since the outbreak of the Mexican insurrection. Every house was occupied though the town at present is in the midst of quite a smallpox scare.

Mr. Rickey Leaves.

Felix Rickey left Sunday for Chillicothe to take up his new duties as manager of the Bell Telephone company's plant there. His successor here, R. L. Raymond, has arrived, formally taking the charge of the local plant Monday. Mr. Raymond is no stranger to Portsmouth people having been employed here as wire chief for the Bell company several years ago. He comes to Portsmouth from Hillsboro.

Made Run From Cincinnati, O.

Walter Patterson has returned from Cincinnati with his new Hudson demonstrating touring car, arriving here on Sunday morning at 4 o'clock.

The 130-mile trip was made in good time, Walter and Dr. O. W. Robe leaving Cincinnati at 9:30, and coming by way of Hillsboro, Idaho, Sinking Springs and Piketon. The trip was made without mishap.

OUR REPUTATION

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CAUGHT IN POLICE RAID, COUPLE ARE MARRIED

Ott Steele, a brickyard employe, and Cora Johnson, an Olive Hill, Ky., young woman, were caught in a police raid late Sunday night. The couple were surprised at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Bussa, of No. 552 East Fifth street, and locked up on a charge of living in adultery.

Realizing that they were up against the strong arm of the law, the couple Monday morning concluded to avoid prosecution by getting married. The police officials agreed to this and the couple were escorted to Probate Judge T. C. Beatty's office, where they were granted a license and were then married by Squire John W. Byron.

Arrange Program Of Teacher's Institute

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Scioto County Teachers' Association held Saturday at the high school building, final arrangements were made for holding the quarterly teachers' institute in this city on Saturday, March 18th. There will be two sessions, morning and afternoon, and Dr. S. D. Fess, of Antioch College, who will feature the program, will speak at each session. The meeting will be held at the First Christian church, and starting at 8:30 a. m., the following program will be rendered.

Address — Prof. W. D. Gilliland.

Round Table — Supt. Frank Appel.

Paper — A. C. Jones, Superintendent at South Webster.

Address — F. S. Alley, Superintendent at Lucasville.

Address — Dr. S. D. Fess, of Antioch College.

The program will be interspersed with music.

How Albert Pyles Was Turned Down

Down in Nile township one, Albert Pyles, gang township boss, is wondering how it came about that he was not made deputy sheriff under John Eckhart. He thought he had the place cinched. He had not been a candidate in the first place, but Boss Philo Clark, Postmaster Charlie Hard, Attorney R. C. Myers and other lesser lights had told him he had been picked for the job, and so he had come to believe it. But alas! When Boss Clark drew out a deputy sheriff for John Eckhart his name read "Pete" Smith instead of Albert Pyles.

This is the fourth or fifth time that Albert has gotten in readiness to move either to town to act as deputy sheriff or to the county infirmary to act as superintendent. Each time he has had to unpack his goods and take Clark soothing syrup labeled "next time." He has gotten used to the taste by this time and eagerly comes up for more.

And why didn't Albert get to be deputy sheriff? Why, John Eckhart, and he ought to know, says Clark told him to name "Pete" Smith and there was nothing else to it but Peter.

Cough Medicine Had Caused Boy's Illness

The small boy who was thought to be dying late Saturday from an overdose, either of whiskey or poison, turned out to be Fred Jones, aged 13, son of Erastus Jones, a blacksmith residing on East Eleventh street. He rallied during the night Saturday and is now out of danger.

It developed that the boy's illness was caused by drinking a quantity of a home remedy for a cough which had been made by a Chillicothe street woman named Smith, whiskey and various herbs entering into the composition of the remedy. A small son of Mrs. Smith, Alfred, aged 12, had taken a half pint bottle of the medicine and traded it to young Jones for a pocketbook. Jones promptly drank the whole bottle full and became desperately ill. He thought he was "curing his cough," so he told watchers at his bedside. He came near curing it all right.

Catalogues Turned Out

At the printery of the Selby Shoe Co., 11,000 catalogues have just been turned out and the workmanship displayed in them reflect great credit upon the employes of this department, who also designed the attractive covers. These catalogues go all over the world and contain 48 pages of very interesting shoe dope handsomely illustrated.

To Haul Engines.

Huntington, W. Va., March 6.—Contracts have been let to the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad for the transportation of one hundred and sixty-nine locomotives from the Baldwin Locomotive Works in Philadelphia to the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and other western roads. The first installment of these engines will pass over the road at an early date.

Selby Salesman Here.

W. G. Byrn, who will represent the Selby Shoe Co., in Arizona and New Mexico, arrived in the city Saturday from Denver to get his samples. He will leave Wednesday on his first trip for his new employers.

MARTING SELLS TO RICHEY

The Irontonian of Sunday said: "It was reported Saturday evening that Col. Marting had sold his interest in the Malleable Works to Oscar Richey. Neither party, however, could be reached, to confirm or deny the report. It is understood that the deal if made, amounted to $30,000 or $35,000."

Mrs. Martha Gallup has resumed her duties at the B. & O. S.-W. office after an extended visit among relatives at Columbus and Washington C. H.

SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

Nature has made ample provision in the moisture and sunshine of the air for the outward protection and healthy condition of the skin. But the more important work of nourishing the cuticle has been left to an inward source—the blood. It is from the circulation that the pores and glands receive their stimulus, and the fibrous tissues are all preserved in a healthful state because of constant nutriment supplied by the blood. It is only when the circulation becomes infected with humors or acids that we are troubled with skin affections. The humors producing these troubles are carried through the circulation direct to the skin, and their irritating or inflammatory effect remains until the blood is cleansed. S. S. S. cures Skin Diseases, because it is the greatest of all blood purifiers. It goes into the circulation and REMOVES the acids and humors which are causing the trouble, builds up the weak, acrid blood, and completely cures Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Salt Rheum, pimples, rashes, and all eruptions of the skin. When S. S. S. has driven out the humors every symptom passes away, the skin is again nourished with cooling, healthful blood, natural evaporation is renewed, and the skin becomes soft and smooth. Book on Skin Diseases and medical advice free.

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These CURES embrace also many bad cases of Weak Lungs, lingering Coughs, Bronchial, Throat and Lung affections, some of which, no doubt, would have run into Consumption, had they been neglected or badly treated. We don't mean to say that the "Golden Medical Discovery" will cure Consumption when fully seated, but it will strengthen weak lungs, improve digestion, and make pure, rich, red blood thereby overcoming and casting out disease-producing bacteria and giving robust, vigorous health.

All particulars about the "Discovery," its composition and uses, in Common Sense Medical Adviser, 1000 pages, revised up-to-date, sent for 31 cents, in one-cent stamps in cloth covers, or 21 cents for paper covered, to pay cost of mailing *only*. Or send post card request for free booklet to WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Dr. R. V. Pierce, President, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Behind Dr. Pierce's Medicines stands the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, thoroughly equipped and with a Staff of Skilled Specialists to treat the more difficult cases of Chronic disease whether requiring Medical or Surgical skill for their cure. Send for free

INVALIDS' GUIDE BOOK

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are *little* in size but *great* in gentle acting sanitary results; cure constipation. ASK YOUR NEIGHBORS

JEALOUS MAN BOBS UP

George Henderson, the man who accused a guest, W. P. Botkins, of forcing his attentions upon Mrs. Henderson a few days ago, was again a caller at police headquarters Sunday. Henderson demanded the arrest of a well known east end citizen, claiming he had made an indecent proposal to his wife, with whom Henderson has again taken up. Chief McCarty refused to act, declaring he must first have something to substantiate the complaint.

THE CLUB TO MEET

There will be a meeting of The Club Thursday evening, March 9, at 7:30 at the Parish House of All Saints Episcopal church. A large attendance is urged and arrangements have been made for an exceptionally good time.

George Malone has moved to the old Henry Wishon homeplace in Carey's Run, opposite the infirmary.

APPLICATION FOR PAROLE.

Notice is hereby given that Clara Smith, 39372, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio penitentiary, has been recommended to the Board by the Warden and Chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole. Said application will be for hearing on and after March 9th, 1911. 27-3mon

LEGAL NOTICE.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, March 7, 1911, for the purchase of Eighty-two Thousand Five Hundred ($82,500) Dollars Street Improvement Bonds. Assessment Proportion, dated March 1, 1911, and maturing as follows:

3 bonds, $1500.00; March 1, 1912.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1913.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1914.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1915.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1916.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1917.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1918.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1919.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1920.
18 bonds, 9000.00; March 1, 1921.

Said bonds are coupon bonds, 165 in number, and numbered consecutively from 438 to 602, both inclusive, of the denomination of $500.00 each, bearing interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of September and March in each year at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, and are issued under the authority of Ordinance Number 1597, passed by the Council of said City on January 21, 1911.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank, payable to the order of William N. Gableman, City Auditor, in an amount equal to 2 per cent of the par value of the bonds bid for. All bids must be unconditional and no bid in an amount less than the par value of the bonds bid for and accrued interest to date of delivery will be considered.

Proposals shall be sealed and endorsed "Bids for City of Portsmouth Bonds," and addressed to the City Auditor, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The right is reserved by the city to reject any and all bids.

By order of Council.

WILLIAM N. GABLEMAN, City Auditor.

Wholesale Prices of Pure WHISKEY

Green Mill Bottled in Bond 8 yrs. old per qt. $1.00

White Mountain Pure Rye Bottled in Bond per qt. 85c

Denison Straight Kentucky Whiskey. Bottled in Bond . 80c

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Express charges prepaid in 4 qt. lots.

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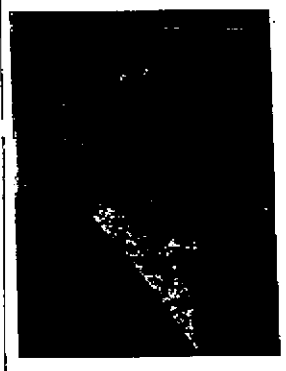

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We have procured this special display for your benefit, so that you may obtain the

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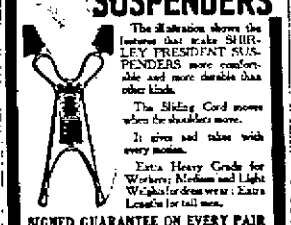

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It gives and takes with every motion.

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Only Home Piano Store. Seventh & Chillicothe.

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MORE HEADACHES COME FROM EYE TROUBLES THAN FROM ANY OTHER CAUSE.

Many people suffer intense pains when they could be entirely relieved by proper Glasses.

We have hundreds of cases that bear us in this statement. We fit Glasses that relieve the Strain.

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MASONIC.

Stated meeting of Aurora lodge Monday evening, March 6.

WANTED.

WANTED:—All persons indebted to Dr. J. B. Ray to call and settle during March. 6-3

WANTED:—A cook. Apply at 172 E. 10th. 6-3

WANTED:—House work to do by the week. Mrs. May James 10 Union St. 6-1

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Apply 312 E. 11th. 6-tf

WANTED:—Boy about 18 years at 208 Market St. 6-3

AGENTS: You've struck it—read on. MARVELOUS FIRE EXTINGUISHER WONDERFUL, Startling, amazing action of mechanical and chemical forces. Puts fire out like magic. Creates great sensation. Will soon be fixture in every home, office, school, factory, farm house. Edw. McGough, O., writes, "Made $160 last week." Boy of 14 sold six in one afternoon. L. C. Gordon, Ind., wired, "Ship 150 today. All sold out." Extinguisher guaranteed. Pronounced a marvel of science. Used by U. S. Government. Anyone can use—even a child. Acts instantly. Get an appointment. Make $4,000 this year. Send address on card for complete information. United Mfg. Co., 903 Mill St., Leipsic, O. 6-1

WANTED:—Two boarders at 360 E. Gallia. 3-6

WANTED:—Paper hanging and paper cleaning to do. Al Reiniger, Home phone Y-438. 3-tf

WANTED:—Girl at Norfolk hotel. 2-4

WAGES:—Notes, rents, board bills, and bad debts collected; large or small. No charge unless collection is made. Dean Law and Collection Co., Room 3, Dice Bldg., Home Phone A-1335. Cut this out.

WANTED:—Girl for housework at 1233 Grandview Ave. Phone Y-922. 28-tf

WANTED:—Boarders by week or meal at 171 E. 11th. 23-10

NOTICE — We will remove from your premises dead horses, cows and hogs free of charge; same, however, must be whole, skins and tails left on. Home phone 337. Bell phone, Main 22. The Portsmouth Chemical Co. 25-tf

WANTED:—For U. S. Army, able bodied unmarried men between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 603 Chillicothe St., Portsmouth, O. 2-155

WANTED—Machine girls, Scott Knitting Co. 26-tf

WANTED:—Men to learn the barber trade. Commission paid for bringing students. Wages in finishing department. Experience in shops Saturday. First work on free customers. All practical. Instructions with charts and diagrams saves years. Positions waiting. Catalogue free. Moler Barber college, Cincinnati, O. 4-6

FOR SALE

FOR SALE:—Rhode Island Red eggs. Mrs. Mershon 519 Home Ave. 3-5

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We also pay interest on savings deposits, no matter how small.

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15 Gallia Street.

WANTED Vacant Lots

We will pay cash for Vacant Lots or Houses and Lots. See us at once.

THE FRANK B. FINNEY COMPANY

19 Gallia. Market Square.

FOR SALE:—4 acres land east of Millbrook lake. K. H. Taylor. 6-3

FOR SALE:—Grocery stock and fixtures, 1010 Chillicothe St. 6-tf

FOR SALE:—Toy French poodle pups at 661 Robinson Ave., or call Home phone X-1257. 3-2

FOR SALE:—Two work horses. Call on G. M. Warder, corner Grant and Hutchins. Both phones. Cheap if sold at once. 3-3

FOR SALE:—12 work horses, ranging from $25.00 to $60.00 each. 1512 Waller St. 3-3

FOR SALE:—Cottage of 6 rooms and bath, steam heat, electricity and gas. Best equipped cottage on Hill Top. R. C. Ruhlman, 392 Highland. Home phone X-488. 2-tf

SPECIAL:—Popular songs 10c. East End Music Store, 311 E. 11th. 3-8

WANTED—Young girl to assist with kitchen work. Inquire at 51 E. 4th. 3-3

NOTICE:—Anyone having copies of Daily Times of six weeks Billy Sunday campaign, can have them bound in book form at The Roach Printing Co., 415 Gay St. Phone B-1259. 28-6

FOR SALE:—Registered Jersey cow, milk 1/4 cream, 553 E. 5th St. 2-tf

MULES FOR SALE:—I will offer four pairs of young work mules on Lower Market Square in Portsmouth March 10, and 11. If the weather is bad, this stock can be seen at The White Bear Stable. T. F. Norris, Vanceburg, Ky. 1-8

PUBLIC SALE

One and a quarter miles west of South Webster on the S. E. Hanes farm,

Thursday, March 9th.

Sale begins at 9:00 a. m. and continues until everything is sold. Nothing reserved. Four horses, 5 cows, 8 three-year-old steers, 8 yearlings, 3 four-months-old calves, 10 head sheep, 3 shoats, 1 sow, 5 pigs, 2 wagons, express, binder, mowing machine, 2 cultivators, two-horse corn drill, wheat drill, iron roller, tongueless disc, cream separator, good as new, plows, harrows, harness, 5 tons hay, household goods and many other articles too numerous to mention. Terms of sale: All sums under $5.00 cash; over $5.00, 9 months time with approved security.

S. E. HANES,
South Webster, Ohio.

FOR SALE:—White Orpington and Brown Leghorn eggs for hatching. Mrs. Louis Clausing 608 Campbell Ave. Phone A-1096. 4-6

FOR SALE:—Clover and timothy, loose, delivered. Mrs. Geo. G. Graham, 1805 Timmonds Ave. Home phone B-193. 3-3

FOR SALE:—Fine Harvard piano or will trade for good horse. J. H. Goodpaster, 159 E. 12th St. 4-3

FOR SALE:—Eggs for hatching. Barred Rocks. Robert Blum, corner 17th and N. Waller. Home Phone B-989. 4-5

FOR SALE:—All kinds of farms. Joe Praither, Wheelersburg. 24-23

FOR SALE:—10 head of good work and driving horses. Inquire at 604 Campbell Ave., B. F. Lantz. 17-tf

FOR SALE:—Sterotype mats, better than paper for putting under carpets. Times office.

FOR SALE — Houses, building lots and farms; some on easy terms. Pat Kiloyne, 1222 Grandview avenue. 26-tf

FOR SALE:—Cistern and chimney bricks at $5.00 per thousand at yard. Heinisch & King. 4-30

FOR SALE:—Willis boarding house, 11 rooms. Best location in city for boarding or rooming. Call 821 Findlay St. 19-tf

FOR SALE!

Modern 6-room house, bath, gas, cellar and barn, 44 foot lot on McConnell Ave. In first-class condition. A nice home at a bargain.

New 6-room 2 story house on Offnere street, near hill top car line. Every thing complete $2800.

Modern 5-room cottage with bath on Eleventh street, near Hutchins. $2800.

Good 4-room cottage, Oakland Ave. $1850.

J. E. Shump,
"The Real Estate Man."
Home 'phone A-672.
1446 Grandview Avenue.

FOR SALE:—GLASSES. Look for the sign. Williams and Bagby. 4-24

FOR SALE:—Buick auto or will trade for horse and carriage. Call at 1335 Park Ave. 4-7

FOR SALE:—Fine Jersey cow fresh without calf, price $65. Stewart's grocery, Sciotoville, O. 2-tf

FOR SALE:—Or trade, for city property, several farms; also nice homes on hill. Apply 1339 Grandview. 1-5

FOR SALE:—Stock of groceries and feed, also horse and delivery wagon. Inquire of John Bodmer, 318 W. 2nd. Home phone X-314. 1-6

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room with bath and electric lights. Apply to Mrs. Crigger, 414 Gallia. 6-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, 117 W. 3rd. All conveniences. 6-tf

FOR RENT:—Six room house on Gallia, opposite Hutchins St., below Webb's planing mill. All modern improvements. See J. A. Maxwell. 6-2

FOR RENT:—New store room at 822 Chillicothe. See W. W. Watrous, 824 Chillicothe St. 10-tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished front rooms. Inquire 81 W. Front. Home phone A-639. 28-6

FOR RENT:—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, with bath and gas, 518 Union St. 4-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, suitable for gentleman with or without board, at 417 Sinton St., one square southeast of Selby's shoe factory. 3-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, bath, 21 E. 8th. 14-tf

FOR RENT:—Rooms furnished complete for light house keeping, 519 Market, foot of 6th. Phone 657. 14-tf

FOR RENT:—5-room flat with bath complete. All new. At 102 W. 2nd. Apply Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co. office. 23-tf

FOR RENT:—One furnished room for light house keeping, 78 Gallia. 20-tf

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THE ROYAL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY

19 GALLIA ST.
Market Square.

TOBACCO BARN WAS BURNED

A big tobacco barn on the farm of John W. Campbell, a prominent farmer and old soldier, at Duke P. O., Harden township, was entirely destroyed by fire late Saturday night, together with the contents, consisting of more than 1,000 pounds of tobacco, a quantity of hay, wheat and corn. The family driving horse also perished in the flames, while a buggy, harness and other property, including farming implements, were consumed with the building.

The fire had gained great headway when discovered by a member of the family, and by the time persons reached the place the roof was falling in, making it impossible to venture in in an effort to save the horse even.

The loss is total and will be close to $3,000, as the owner did not carry insurance on either building or contents.

Mr. Campbell feels certain the fire was of incendiary origin, and this opinion is also shared by a number of his neighbors. The state fire marshal at Columbus was at once notified and an officer was dispatched to the scene with the pair of blood hounds owned by the state, they arriving there early Sunday morning, and being joined at Waverly by Deputy State Fire Marshal Ed. Donovan.

The only clue being worked on was furnished the officers by Mr. Campbell. His suspicions were strengthened when the dogs took up a scent which led them in the direction of the homes of two suspects, and while no evidence strong enough to warrant making arrests has been obtained as yet, the officers are confident having the guilty parties in the toils before midnight Monday.

Deputy Sheriff Pete Smith, on being notified by the state fire marshall, left early Monday for the scene to assist in clearing up the mystery.

FOR RENT:—5-room house at 13th and Union Sts. Water and gas. $12 per month. Call Home phone 79. 4-2

FOR RENT:—Furnished room and plain sewing, 1310 Grandview. 4-3

FOR RENT:—6-room house with bath on E. 5th. Call Home phone Y-439. 4-tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room with privilege of bath. Inquire 415 Glover. 4-tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with all conveniences at 47 W. 6th. 4-tf

FOR RENT:—Farm on Turkey Creek; also business room in city. See W. S. Haney, 1019 Clay St. or S. L. Haney, South Webster, Box 22. 4-2d1w

FOR RENT:—Modern five room, 2 story house on E. 8th St. See Louis Distel, 8th and Campbell Ave., or call Home phone 1372. 3-3

FOR RENT:—New furnished bed room in private family, bath and gas, 28 W. 3rd. 27-tf

LOST

LOST:—Between Busy Bee restaurant and 32 W. 2nd, pair steel frame spectacles Sunday noon. Return to 32 W. 2nd 6-tf

LOST—Michigan University pin, Saturday between 4th and 17th on Offnere. Call phone 1056. 6-3

LOST:—A belt pin, either on 2nd, Chillicothe, 8th, Findlay Sts. Return to 821 Findlay. Reward. 6-3

LOST:—Locket between Offnere and Hill Top engine house. Monogram M. N. P. Return to 260 E. 11th. 4-2

LOST:—Cuff link on Gallia and Offnere to 9th. 319 Gallia. 4-2

LOST:—Between Hutchins and Young streets, on Robinson Ave., Opal ring, broken in middle. Return to 510 Vinton Ave. Liberal reward. 4-2

LOST:—Small bar pin, white enamel top with set pearls. Finder call B-1065. 3-3

NOTICE.

For Tin and Slate roofing see Joseph Walters, 384 East Sixth Street. Phone B-1288. Special attention given to repair work. 23-tf

SCATTERED DEBTS

Are a constant source of annoyance. They often injure a person's reputation for reliability beyond repair.

Consolidate your Indebtedness

How much better it would be to secure a loan FROM US, large enough to pay them and receive your piece of mind, also receiving your credit. $1 or $2 a week will soon pay the loan, principal and charges.

OHIO LOAN COMPANY,
205 Masonic Temple Building,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

FINE SERVICE AT FIRST BAPTIST

A very large congregation attended both morning and evening services at the First Baptist church. The largest attendance in Sabbath school since moving into the tabernacle, was reached when 260 were present with $8.57 collection. The men's bible class only recently organized had 39 present. The right hand of fellowship was given to a large number both morning and evening, and six persons were baptized. The evening sermon from the text, Matt. 23:37, O, Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not," was very impressive. It showed the last appeal of Jesus, to the nation Israel and how it also applies to the individual and nation of the present day. When the invitation to accept Jesus Christ was given, five stalwart men and several boys and girls went forward and gave themselves to Jesus. The main room was packed to overflowing and the Sunday school rooms were thrown open to seat the crowd. Let us grow until we grow into a new building, larger and more convenient.

Our pastor, Rev. T. H. McAfee goes to Pennsylvania today to assist in an evangelistic meeting. We wish him a safe journey and great success in winning many souls to Jesus.

Announcements will be made later who will fill his place next Sunday, but there will be services both morning and evening.

Let every one come.

Adam Pfau Buys A Car

Adam Pfau Monday placed an order with Will J. Friel for an E. M. F. car, which will be delivered in two weeks. The machine is to be equipped with all the latest wrinkles in the auto world.

Tan and Browns. Three Little Tailors. 6-1

WHY WOMEN SUFFER

With Piles and How to Find a Lasting Cure.

Constipation is a most frequent cause of piles. That is why women suffer more often from piles than men. Indoor work and lack of exercise brings on the attacks. Warner Bros., Portsmouth, O., and druggists everywhere sell Hem-Roid, an internal tablet remedy for piles, on the understanding that you can have the money back if dissatisfied. $1 for a large bottle. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Station B., Buffalo, N. Y. Mail booklet on request.

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THE MARKETS

OPENING

Chicago, March 6.—Wheat, May, 91 3/8 to 91 1/2; July, 89 5/8 to 89 3/4; Sept., 88 7/8 to 89.

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LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(By United Press.)

Chicago, March 6.—Hogs, receipts 3600 head, market 5 higher; mixed, $6.90 to $7.25; good, $6.75 to $7.20; light, $6.95 to $7.30; pigs, $6.60 to $7.15.

Cattle, receipts, 22600 head, market steady; beeves, $5.25 to $7.00; cows and heifers, $2.70 to $6.00; stockers and feeders, $4.00 to $5.90; calves, $7.00 to $9.00.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 16000 head, market strong, $3.10 to $4.85; lambs, $5.00 to $6.30.

Pittsburg, March 6.—Cattle, 90 cars, market steady, 25 higher.

Sheep and lambs, receipts light market 25 higher.

Hogs, receipts 25 double deck, market native and higher; prime, $7.40 to $7.45; medium, $7.75 to $7.80; heavy yorkers, $7.75 to $7.80; light yorkers, $7.75 to $7.80; pigs, $7.75 to $7.80.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

William Melvin Brown, agor 41, a farmer and stock raiser of Stockdale, was granted a license on Monday to wed Miss Ida Florence Coburn, aged 37, of Scioto. Rev. Myers officiated.

Oliver O. Steele, aged 42, a laborer of the city, was granted a license on Monday to wed Miss Cora Tabor, aged 26, of the city.

William T. Shump, aged 27, a brick worker, was granted a license on Saturday to wed Mrs. Sophia Isabelle Russ, aged 35, a dressmaker, both of the city. Rev. Howard officiated.

James Harrison Massie, aged 20, a farmer, of Rushtown, was granted a license on Mriday to wed Miss Agnes Crow, aged 16, of the same place. Rev Willis officiated.

MORE FREE CANDY

A package of fine candy will be given to patrons of the Elco theatre Wednesday afternoon and evening, also Saturday afternoon and evening. 5000 packages last Saturday but run out of candy before 8 o'clock in the evening as our patronage was more than we anticipated. We, however, expect to have ample supply both Wednesday and Saturday. Show case with a portion of the candy can be seen in lobby of theater Tuesday. Remember the place—Elco theatre, Seventh and Chillicothe Streets.

WHITE & LAUDERMANN,
Managers.

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Mayor Buys Automobile

Mayor H. C. Searcy Monday purchased a Hudson automobile from Agent Walter K. Patterson and it will be delivered April 15. It will be the first torpedo shaped machine to be received in Portsmouth. The door will be in front and the car is the best one made in the Hudson factory.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Evans Buried.

Ben Evans, vaudeville actor, whose mother, the late Mrs. Ben Evans, died last Wednesday, arrived home Sunday from Poughkeepsie, N. Y., where he was located after a three days' search.

The funeral of Mrs. Evans took place Monday afternoon with interment in Greenlawn. Rev. E. J. Mencham had charge of the last rites.

Mrs. Wm. Shaffer.

Pathetic in the extreme is the circumstances surrounding the death of Sadie, young wife of William Shaffer, a laborer residing at 1431 Chillicothe street, in poorly furnished quarters. The family is poor and the death of the wife and mother revealed a sad story of want and privation. The woman died Sunday night after a long illness with tuberculosis. She was 22 years of age and is survived by two sons two and four years. The city took charge and furnished a burial outfit. The funeral will be held at the Salvation Army barracks Tuesday afternoon.

Dante Bonta.

Dante, Jr., son of Dante Bonta, of the local colony of Italian railway laborers died Sunday at the home, 935 Walnut street, from typhoid fever. The unfortunate victim was 18 years of age and single. The funeral was held at Holy Redeemer Catholic church Monday at 2 p. m. a large crowd of countrymen of the deceased being present. The body was buried at Greenlawn.

Louis Steinman.

Lou Reinhart, an employe of the Gilbert Grocery company, and wife, attended the funeral of the latter's father, Louis Steinman at Sardinia Sunday.

Mr. Steinman, who was 69 years of age and a prosperous farmer, died after only a few days' illness with pneumonia. He was the father of 13 children.

Funeral Tuesday.

Mrs. Bettie Livingstone, who is 94 years of age, arrived here from Hamden Monday to attend the funeral of her son, Holden Livingstone, who died suddenly Saturday. The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon. Sam Womeldorf, a B. & O. S.-W. conductor, and several other out-of-town relatives will also attend.

Moss.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss of Offnere street, died Sunday and the funeral was held Monday with interment in Greenlawn.

Livingston.

The funeral of the late Holden Livingston will take place Tuesday afternoon from the family residence on East Front street. Rev. Hartinger will conduct the services.

Buried At Old Home.

The remains of Hazel Irene, baby daughter of Engineer Floyd Russell, and who died of whooping cough, were removed to Marion, Lawrence county, Monday for burial.

John Treanor.

Mrs. R. L. Lloyd, 309 East Fifth street, through a message received Monday was apprised of the death of an uncle, John Treanor, which occurred at his home at Nashville, Tenn., early today, after a long sickness. He was 62 years of age and was the local superintendent of the Equitable Life Insurance Co. Mrs. Lloyd will not attend the funeral.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Mrs. Agnes Rowe, 26 East Third street, received a telegram Monday notifying her of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nancy Wilson, wife of William Wilson, a prominent miller of Greenup, Ky., who died Sunday Mrs. Rowe went to Greenup this afternoon to be present at the funeral.

BUILDING PERMITS

Mrs. Josephine Wetta took out a building permit Monday for the erection of a new six room dwelling on Kinney street to cost $1200.

THE MARCH BIRTHSTONE

The March birthstone is a dark green stone flecked with red. From this red color has come the name of Blood stone. Those having March birthdays would do well to wear their lucky stone.

A glance in our windows will show a number of these gems set in rings, the cost ranging from $1.60 to $10.

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SOCIETY

Hon. A. R. Johnson, of Ironton, returned home Sunday from Washington, where he has completed his congressional duties. His secretary, William J. Meyer, stopped off in Columbus to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Meyer, for a few days before returning to Ironton where he expects to practice law.

A. L. Stephens spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Ironton.

Leslie Jenetsky of East Fourth street, visited over Sunday in Ironton.

Mr. George H. Thomas, of this city, and his brother, Mr. Charles Thomas of Ironton, have returned from a busines sand pleasure trip to Cincinnati.

Mrs. C. H. Brown, of Ironton, formerly of this city, passed through here today en route to Columbus, to meet her sister, Miss Grace Mann of Buffalo, N. Y., who is coming for an extended visit at the Brown home.

Mrs. Charles Pray, and little daughter of East Ninth street, are visiting their relative, Miss Sallie Thomas of Ironton.

Mr. William Tremper, who recently completed his post graduate course at Michigan, has been ill since Saturday with the grip.

Miss Fay Ankrom, of Chillicothe, is here spending a few days with her sister, Miss Edith Ankrom.

Mr. Frank Vincent, of Columbus, spent Sunday and Monday here with relatives. He came up Saturday from Cincinnati.

Mr. William Kehrer of Des Moines, Ia., is the guest of his brother, Mr. Gus Kehrer. Mr. Kehrer formerly resided in Portsmouth. He is accompanied by his daughter.

Mrs. A. C. Thompson will move Tuesday from West Second street to her elegant new home on Highland avenue, which is conceded to be one of the finest residences in Southern Ohio.

Leslie C. Turley writes he is enjoying life at Pinehurst, N. C., so much that he has decided to prolong his stay there another week.

H. L. Raymond, the new local manager of the Bell Telephone Company, has rented Col. Floyd L. Smith's old home at 84 East Second street from Mrs. Foster, the present owner, and his family will arrive Tuesday from Hillsboro. Mr. Raymond succeded Manager Felix Rickey, who took his departure Sunday for Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fite of Youngstown who came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fite's aunt, Miss Ella Hartman of Wheelersburg, are now visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hartman at Lucasville.

So impressed with the singing of Miss Alice Terry when she filled an engagement at the Nickelodeon were Mr. and Mrs. Cary Moore, of 217 Market street, that they have named their bright-eyed two-weeks-old daughter Alice Terry Moore. Miss Terry feels highly honored, and naturally thinks Mr. and Mrs. Moore have the finest baby in the city. Mr. Moore is an employe of the Portsmouth Shoe Company.

Mr. William Woellner, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday here with his brother, Mr. Edward Woellner, of the Home Loan Company. Mr. Woellner is just recovering from a seige of typhoid fever.

Daughters of the King of All Saints church will meet on Tuesday evening, at the home of Mrs. L. S. Holman on East Eighth street.

Mr. John Gulker of South Webster, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. John Prior, on Highland avenue.

Mrs. Otto Marling returned to her home in Ironton, Sunday, after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Winter.

Household Remedy

Taken in the Spring for Years.

Ralph Rust, Willis, Mich., writes: "Hood's Sarsaparilla has been a household remedy in our home as long as I can remember. I have taken it in the spring for several years. It has no equal for cleansing the blood and expelling the humors that accumulate during the winter. Being a farmer and exposed to bad weather, my system is often affected, and I often take Hood's Sarsaparilla with good results."

Hood's Sarsaparilla is Peculiar to Itself. There is no "just as good." Get it today in usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsatabs.

Mrs. C. C. Norris is confined to her home on Highland avenue, suffering with the grip.

There will be a reception this evening at the Free Baptist church for the new members, those expecting to become members, and the new Sunday school scholars of the church.

The Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. C. F. Losh, 725 Court street.

The Bible class of district No. 85, with the Y. M. C. A. deaconess as leader, will meet Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cornutte, 1412 McConnell Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Baugh, of Cincinnati, have come for a brief visit with their niece, Miss Maud Baugh, at the Bryant home, on Highland avenue.

The Young Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will give a musical Thursday evening, March 9. An excellent musical program will be rendered. The public is invited with a silver offering.

Mrs. Cecil Miller's guests, Mrs. Arthur Ellis Moak and two children, Margaret and Daniel, returned to their home in Westwood today, after a pleasant visit. Another sister, Mrs. J. F. Slater of Ironton, returned home Saturday, having spent a few days with Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Moak.

Mrs. Ben Bratt, of West Second street, left today for Columbus, where she will take a course of treatment from a noted ear specialist.

Miss Edith Fulton was hostess of the Saturday Sewing club last Saturday afternoon. Needle work preceded dainty refreshments, served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. J. C. Scott on East Second.

The Second street Whist club will meet on Tuedsay with Mrs. L. D. York.

Mrs. J. L. Treuthart spent Saturday in Cincinnati, shopping.

Before the largest audience of the season at the Hyde Park Twin Hall, Cincinnati, the Schuster Stock Company of the Schuster School presented the clever little comedy, "What's in a Name." It was one of the best performances of the stock company this year. The cast included, David E. Barr, Albert Thompson, Boyd Agin, Minnie T. Crowley, Kathryn Dawson, Viola Semler, Estelle Ayer, Joseph Rieder, and A. Gradwahl.

Miss Gertrude Davidson of 271 East Fourth street, had the misfortune to lose her Michigan University pin on Saturday and would appreciate it's return.

The W. E. D. club was most delightfully entertained on Saturday evening, at the home of Miss Julia Drugan. A feature of the evening was the initiation of a new member, Miss Lydia Giesler. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

The Ladies' Aid society of Manly church will meet Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Fowler, Jr., 230 Gallia street. This meeting will be a "kitchen shower," to provide cooking utensils for the new kitchen recently installed in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Esselborn and daughter, Virginia, returned home Sunday evening, from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cunningham and baby of Ironton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Cunningham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown of this city.

Mrs. C. L. Bush returned Saturday from Ironton, where she visited Mrs. May Duis.

Mrs. J. E. Jordan of East Eleventh street, who has been visiting Mrs. Dan Connell of Ironton, has gone to Ashland to spend a few days, before returning to her home here.

Mrs. Edgar Burton has gone to Ironton, to spend a few days with her brother, Chester Snowden, who is very ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. Jacob Gerber, formerly a telegraph operator at Wheelersburg, but later an undertaker at Valley Crossing, will leave this week for Denver, Colorado where he has bought an undertaking establishment.

The Modern Priscilla club will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Clinton Searl on East Third street.

Mrs. Samuel Schloss will entertain the Wednesday Kensington this week.

Ladies' Jacket Suits, Skirts and Dresses made to order. Call and see fashions and samples before ordering elsewhere. Strictly man tailored garments. F. M. Pride, 10-12 East Third street. mon wed sat tf

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View Was Granted

The county commissioners after hearing the appeal for the road running from the Jackson county line to South Webster around the Sargeant hill, granted the petitioners a view on Monday afternoon. Leroy Smith, John H. Cook and Henry Pieper were named as viewers, and they have been notified to meet at the residence of George Finney in Hamilton township, Jackson county, on Monday, March 20th, for the purpose of going over the route of the proposed road. County Surveyor Lafayette Jones was named as surveyor for the new road.

Pond Creek Is Heard From

A delegation of Pong Creek citizens were before the county commissioners on Monday, asking that they view the proposed road petitioned for running up Pond Creek, starting in at the site of the old wheelbarrow factory. The board promised to go out in a body and look at the proposed road before adjournment.

Annexation Not Taken Up

The annexation proposition was not taken up by the board of county commissioners on Monday, as was expected. So many out-of-town delegations were before them on Monday that it was impossable to get to the annexation proposition. The city has not as yet filed its amended petition, and no final action can be taken until that is done. It will probably be taken up on Tuesday.

JUDGE BLAIR BACK HOME

Judge Blair returned home Monday noon from Moundsville, W. Va., where he delivered two temperance [illegible] Sunday.

In the afternoon he spoke to men only, and 1,200 were present. In the evening he spoke in the largest building in the city, and more than two hundred people were unable to gain admission. The Judge states [illegible]

To Have a Sale.

Daniel Egbert, [illegible] soon to take office as county commissioner, expects to [illegible] some of his horses, mules, cattle, hogs and farming implements. He expects to hold a public sale on his Miller's Run farm place, on March 15th.

Hunting Trip.

Dr. Herbert McCall expects to leave Wednesday on an extended hunting trip in Montana.

Tribute to Her Parents

At the celebration of the forty-first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mathiott, at their home near Wheelersburg, the following poem by their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Shump was read:

TO FATHER AND MOTHER.

Homeward, turn Homeward, this day of the year,
To be glad we are living and that we are here.
Back to the home that we turn to with pride;
Where forty-one years ago Ma was a bride.

And Pa was the bride-groom—I have heard it said
A finer matched couple never was wed.
And we led to believe it as we gaze on them now,
'Tis the seal of contentment keeps youthful their brow.

They have found the famed Fountain—I tell it forsooth,
In the love of a lifetime—Perpetual Youth.
The blossoms of Hope are strewn bright on your way
By the hands of your children who greet you today.

Up the River of Time on its magical shore,
We are children again round this hearthstone once more.
And the lessons you taught us we'll go over again,
Each child has a knowledge not learned by the pen.

"Where there's a will there's a way" Mother oft showed us how;
Father punctuated his lines with the plow.
There's a snap and a sparkle—some class if you will;
We take off our hats to the ones at Fern Hill.

If the season was bad or the market was slim,
They could get a good harvest from an old-fashioned hymn,
Or a good Baptist meeting with an army to feed
Seemed to be just the spirit to help most indeed.

"How firm a foundation" as Mother would stitch
With an eye on the garment—a firm hand on the switch.
And when Billy Sunday laid down strictest law
About raising children, he must have known Pa.

If we teach to our children all we learned in this school.
'Tis an every day lesson of Love and Home Rule.
And for learning young ideas so well how to shoot,
Let the children all give them the Chautauqua salute.

With returns of this day, may you see many more
And the Future have much of its joy yet in store.
We bring you an offering of silver—behold.
You have given us naught in our lives but pure gold.

And as Father Time speeds us quickly along
These days at the Homestead keeps kindled a song,
'Tis a song of the heart that these memories attune
And their touch on the heartstrings help to bring back June.

In our hearts inmost depths there is burning a flame,
And our souls are refreshed by a part in this "Claim."
May we be worthy "Settlers," your blazed paths avail;
It will be a safe guide to the end of Life's trail.

MRS. EDWARD SHUMP,
Portsmouth, Ohio.

MAY ESTABLISH TRUNK FACTORY

Frazier Bailey, of Cincinnati, is in the city looking over the ground with a view to establishing a trunk factory in Portsmouth.

Mr. Bailey has visited a number of cities and towns, but is most favorably impressed with the advantages here, and if he receives sufficient encouragement from local shoe manufacturers and other leading users of trunks, he will likely locate a plant here by the middle of May.

Mr. Bailey is a practical trunk builder of seventeen years' experience. For some years past he has been connected with Schneider Bros., trunk manufacturers, of Cincinnati. It is his plan to begin the manufacture of trunks on a small scale and increase his plant as business justifies.

Mr. Bailey will remain until Tuesday morning, and then return to this city in the near future. It is likely he will locate his plant on West Front street. He considers he will have a good opening here, as there is not a single establishment of the kind in Southern Ohio or Central and Eastern Kentucky.

Exciting Runaway

An exciting runaway occurred on East Ninth street Monday, when a horse belonging to Moeller & Kling, butchers, took fright at a passing street car. The animal ran into a telephone pole and the wagon was pulled in two. The horse, however, was stopped within a short distance, and the damage done amounted to but a trifle.

With His Junk Boat.

Lon Kirkendall expects to embark for Pittsburg with his new junk boat this week. Lou invested in 500 ft. of new rope Saturday as he is going to take no chances on storms.

DR. F. C. Goodwin's Dental Office

Is now located in the New Sun Theatre Building, No. 35 Gallia Street, Opposite The Sam'l Horchow Furniture Company.

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Agent.

Land Slid Into Park

A big slide, probably caused by the heavy rain, occurred Sunday night on the west side of Linden Heights, when tons of earth rolled from the new addition owned by Daehler & Euth into the Timmonds grounds, known as Athletic park.

The slide made a gradual slope, and a remarkable thing about it, it filled in the low land just where the owner most desired, which otherwise would have cost hundreds of dollars to have done. The slip carried some trusts about 300 feet along with it.

MAY GO IN NEW BLOCK

There is much talk of a new businessmen's club being formed to take the place of the commercial club. It is said that the plans contemplate securing quarters in the new First National bank building.

RIVER NEWS

With a stage of 17.6 feet on the local government gauge at the foot of Madison street at noon Monday, the Ohio river was rising slowly. The heavy rain which fell Sunday night throughout the valley is expected to swell the Ohio and all its tributaries to some extent.

Tuesday's Boats: Up, Ohio at 3 a. m.; Tacoma at 9 a. m., and Greyhound at 2 p. m. Down, Greenwood at noon.

Fancy Blue Worsted and Serges. Three Little Tailors. 6-1

LOOK! TROUSER SUITS COME TO PORTSMOUTH

The much talked of Women's new garment is now in town. As a near approach to the garments that men wear, and still with the modifying term "skirt" attached, Goodman Bros. & Co. have on exhibit to-day for the benefit of the women who care for the latest creation in cloths, the Paris and New York excitement—a "pantaloon suit."

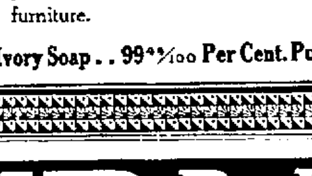
It might better be called a "suit-pantaloon" since the suit part comes uppermost, while the lower section looks as much like a pair of trousers as anything could that has legs a yard in diameter. However, the name shall not be of too great an interest since the garment itself hath a very rakish look, and has caused much feminine interest wherever seen, not to say masculine interest.

Any one who has a lingering remembrance of the directoire or sheath gown of such exciting qualities, must put all such recollections aside, since the pantaloon-suit is a horse of another color entirely, and another shape besides.

It's a stunner that leaves one sufficiently conscious to take notice while it stuns.

Allen Cameron, the aged constable, who was taken bedfast a week ago, was better.

Carl Worley has received a contract for erecting a fine new barn for Dr. Hopkins at Friendship. It will contain a concrete floor.



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GOLD DUST will take the grime and smut, grease and dirt from your pots and pans in a twinkling, leaving them as clean as when new

GOLD DUST is so far ahead of soap for cleaning pots and pans, that the woman who does not use it is really doing about twice as much work as necessary. The soap merely cleans off the surface, and does not dig deep after the germs of decay which accumulate on pots, pans and kettles which are in constant use.

GOLD DUST does more than clean—it goes to the very heart of things, kills every germ and sterilizes your cooking utensils. It makes them sanitary, clean and safe.

GOLD DUST does the work in just half the time that it can be done with soap or any other cleanser.

GOLD DUST is a vegetable oil soap in powdered form, which starts to work the moment it strikes the water; it cleans quickly, easily and thoroughly.

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McCurdy's Flight Causing Much Talk

The story published Saturday that an effort was being made to have J. A. D. McCurdy, a widely known aviator come here on the Fourth of July and make a flight to Columbus was widely discussed Sunday.

Before leaving on his century run Mr. McCurdy is to give an exhibition of his skill and show the features of the Curtiss biplane at the race track.

In connection with his coming, it was stated Monday, that by the plan he was to receive $1,000 from Portsmouth and a like sum from Chillicothe, Circleville and Columbus.

The local promoters are perfectly sincere in the matter and a contract will be drawn up shortly and submitted to McCurdy. His coming would make the next Fourth of July one long to be remembered in the River City.

TALKED OF SUNDAY DROPPED DEAD

Lima, O., March 6.—W. L. Bechtel dropped dead in the Heath grocery at Elida Saturday, in the midst of a discussion over the Billy Sunday campaign.

The Hord Sanitorium at Coshocton, O., have a guaranteed cure for the Liquor and Drug Addictions. Write for their (No Cure No Pay) proposition. 12-26t

TAKES CHARGE OF HOTEL

Ironton, O., March 6.—Messrs. McCauley and Coulin have disposed of their interest in the Ironton House to Messrs. D. C. Davies and Chas. Gould. The house will be under the management of Mr. Gould.

Chas. Gould is a son-in-law of Mr. J. J. Davidson, of East Fourth street, this city.

BUY THE BEST, MAGNOLIA FLOUR.

LOSES AND FINDS POCKET BOOK

To have lost his pocketbook in Cincinnati, which contained $15 and to have it found and returned to him was the good fortune several days ago of John Wilhelm, who travels for the Joseph G. Reed Company.

While in Cincinnati last week Mr. Wilhelm lost his wallet. A hasty search failed to locate it and John wired home for more money.

Upon his arrival home Mr. Wilhelm found a letter from a Covington, Ky., man, who had found the pocketbook in Cincinnati. He learned the owner's name through Mr Wilhelm's Masonic club card. The purse intact was at once forwarded to Mr. Wilhelm.

The finder was told to take out a suitable reward by Mr. Wilhelm, but he refused to accept a penny and stated that he was glad to return it to the rightful owner.

Stop Off For A Visit

Mr. W. H. Kehrer and his daughter of DesMoines, Iowa, are guests at the home of their brother, Mr. Jno. Kehrer. The two are on their way home from Florida, in which place they spent a week, while Mr. Kehrer was looking after some business interests. Mr. Kehrer, a former resident of Portsmouth, is in the jobbing trade at DesMoines and is doing well. Of course he finds Portsmouth has undergone a complete transformation since his departure about fifteen years ago. He is mighty proud of his old home.

Columbus Visitor.

Mrs. Charles E. Jackson of Columbus, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. E. Ross of Sixth street. Mrs. Jackson's husband is a guard at the Ohio penitentiary.

BILL WILL NOT COME UP

The statement was made Monday that no further attempt was to be made this year to have congress at its coming extra session pass the bill that provides for the holding of two sessions of the United States court yearly in Portsmouth.

The department of justice is given the main credit for the defeat of the measure. It bitterly opposed the bill on the grounds that there was not sufficient business to warrant its passage. The interference of Senator Burton at the eleventh hour was totally unexpected. It looks like the bill will be allowed to remain dormant until congress convenes next December.

Bought New Outfit.

Paul Esselborn returned Monday from Chicago, where he purchased an entire new outfit for the bottling department of the Portsmouth Brewing & Ice Co. The machinery will be shipped next week.

MEASLES IN COLUMBUS

Columbus, O., March 6.—Measles is raging at the Columbus barracks. At present 80 men are laid up with the disease, which already has cost several lives. The officers, however, do not consider the situation serious, though they say they are taking every precaution against the spread of the infection.

'Twas A Girl, Not A Boy

Infirmary Director William Weidner, who was in the city on Monday, states that the papers recently were in error by stating that he recently became the father of a bouncing big boy. He says that he wishes the accounts had been correct, but as it happened to be a girl he wants the truth told about it. He hopes to be able some time to announce the arrival of a boy, so that he can name him William.

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A SMALL SUM MAY SAVE A LIFE

Solicitation for funds to succor the starving millions of China are under way all over the country, and Portsmouth is joining actively in the noble work.

Thousands are perishing daily from plague and hunger, the latter lending chief aid to the ravages of the former. The mockery of this is that food is so cheap that two cents worth will supply a person for a whole day, but the impoverished thousands have nowhere to get the insignificant price.

So here is a case where every little helps. You can give your little, no matter how small it will be, either to Mayor Scarcy, or President H. S. Grimes, of the board of trade. Don't figure it will be along time before your money will be in China to afford relief. It will get there almost instantly, because the donations are telegraphed immediately to headquarters at New York, and from there cabled with all the rapidity of lightning to China.

CONTRACTS WERE LET

Contracts for the construction of D. L. Williams' new home, to be built on East Fourth street, were awarded as follows Monday: Carpenter work, Grant Lloyd; brick work, stone work and all masonry, Kaps Bros.; heating, plumbing and wiring, Schmidt and Watkins; slate roofing, W. S. Haney; painting and graining, James B. Ellison, and plastering, C. A. Bayless.

The house will be a veneered brick structure, and will be set off with some beautiful stone trimmings. It will contain eleven rooms, and no two will be finished alike.

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HAD A MEETING IN COLUMBUS

Columbus, O., March 6.—The regular quarterly meeting of the executive committee of the Ohio Manufacturers' Association was held Friday evening at the Chittenden hotel. Those in attendance were George D. Selby of the Selby Shoe company, Portsmouth; D. J. Welsh of the Consolidated Manufacturing company, Toledo; John Kirby, Jr., of the Dayton Manufacturing company; R. H. Jeffrey of the Jeffrey Manufacturing company and J. G. Battello of the Columbus Iron and Steel Company, Columbus; also Opha Moore of Columbus, secretary of the association.

Was Taken to The Infirmary

Wort McGraw, who fell from a C. & O. train at Vanceburg, Ky., some time ago and broke both of his legs, was taken to the county infirmary on Monday. He has been staying with relatives in Nile township since the accident happened.

Attended Services.

Members of the United Brotherhood of Friendship, an organization whose membership includes many of the most prominent colored citizens in the North End on Sunday afternoon marched in a body to the Pleasant Green Baptist church. They heard a splendid sermon delivered by the Rev. Mr. Fletcher.

In The Shadows.

H. B. Anderson of East Eleventh street, who has been in a critical condition, was reported dying Sunday. He rallied last night and was reported a little better Monday. Until a few months ago he was a Pullman conductor on the Pennsylvania with headquarters in Philadelphia.

Million Dollar Depot.

The Norfolk & Western and the Virginian Railway company presidents held a meeting at Norfolk, Va., Saturday and discussed plans for a million dollar union depot they propose building there.

Mrs. Jos. Vetter, of East Third street, who has been dangerously ill, is now reported improving.

25c Sale AT PEPPER'S ENAMELED WARE AT 25c

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Ploughed Farm With A Traction Engine

A practical demonstration of the good qualities of the traction engine turned out by the Heer-Morton Company was made Saturday on Druggist John Rapp's farm on the west side.

The big puffing tractor plowed up his farm so quickly and so thoroughly that the work was completed almost before the spectators knew what had happened. The engine lived up to advance notices and then some. It will show its digging propensities in a few days on Alan Jordan's west side farm.

THEATRICAL

It is practically a settled fact that Mr. Roy Gordon will not be a member of the Millbrook Stock Company this season. It was learned Monday that the skit in which he recently made his appearance, has more than made good, and that it had been booked solidly for thirty weeks over the Keith circuit. This will prevent Mr. Gordon from spending the summer in the River City. It is said he is now commanding the biggest salary in his theatrical career.

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Earl Denton, a brother of Harry Denton, who made a big hit in the Alhambra Minstrels, is dickering for some time on the Sun circuit. He expects to make his debut in vaudeville in a week or ten days.

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The Rosary at Grand Tonight.

"The Rosary," by Edward E. Rose, will be presented at the Grand tonight. This splendid attraction is one that is entirely different from any that has ever been at the Grand, and is one that is built on the emblem of purity. The play is one that is clean and moral, and preaches a sermon, and is one that the management of the Grand could not have chosen better for the Lenten season. Don't miss this grand play tonight.

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"The Gay Morning Glories."

"The Gay Morning Glories" are billed to appear at the Grand Tuesday. This is conceded to be the very best of the larger burlesque shows, and promises an entertainment that will be both lively and interesting. Like all attractions on this order, a lavish display of handsomely costumed girls, witty comedians and catchy music are its principal factors, combined with several new and startling sensations to add to the variety.

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Gus Sun has just secured control of the Grand theatre in Youngstown, and he will send vaudeville into this theatre. For several years he has been trying to get a first class house in Youngstown.

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The Johnny Wise Musical Comedy Company, which is at the Majestic the first half, arrived Sunday from Parkersburg.

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Scintilla, the violinist at the Sun last week, was taken ill Saturday night, the result of a slight attack of ptomaine poison. She quickly recovered from the effects of her sudden illness and was able to leave Sunday for the American theatre in Cincinnati.

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Aha! John Philip Quinn is in Hamilton this week. There is a bit of irony in the announcement that he is to be followed by Dewar's Animal Circus.

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There is a Portsmouth girl in the chorus of the "Newlyweds" who come to the Grand, March 20. She is Kate Revare, who has numerous relatives and friends in this city and who is a sister of Pearl Revare. Miss Revare's husband is a musical director of one of the big musical companies in New York.

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Vaughan Trevor, who is supporting Muclyn Arbuckle in his vaudeville playlet "The Welcher" entertained Eugene Wurster at dinner the other night in Philadelphia. Mr. Trevor sends his kindest regards to his many local friends. He and Mr. Arbuckle will soon fill a week's engagement at Keith's theatre in Columbus.

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"The Chocolate Soldier," it is said, played to over $15,000 at the Lyric in Cincinnati last week, shattering all previous records at this theatre.

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Henry Hall, Casino favorite, is again a member of the Sunshine society. "The Zebra" closed Saturday night at the Garrick in New York. It was poorly constructed and came in for a beautiful panning at the hands of the blase critics.

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Arthur Berthelet and Mary Mannering are still out on the Coast. Mr. Berthelet expects to arrive here a week before Decoration Day. By that time he will have selected the personnel of the Millbrook Stock Co. and rehearsals will begin about May 26th. The Casino will open the first Monday in June.

On Maiden Trip.

Charley Anderson left Sunday on his maiden trip in the interest of the Portsmouth Shoe Co. He went direct to Georgetown, Ky. He will gradually work his way to Alabama and Mississippi which states he will cover thoroughly.

M. A. Cann, watchmaker employed by J. F. Carr, is in Cleveland spending a few days with his brother.

Leaves Wednesday.

R. A. Gillilan will leave Wednesday on a three months' trip through Missouri and Oklahoma City in the interest of the Excelsior Shoe Co. Other salesmen of this factory will also take their departure Wednesday.

ORDINANCE.

To Create the office of Watchman for the Hilltop Fire Department.

Be it Ordained by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. That there be and is hereby created the office or position of Watchman for the Hilltop Fire Department, and that the salary of said officer is hereby fixed at the sum of Thirty-five Dollars ($35.00) per month.

Sec. 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed March 1, 1911.

ADAM UFAU, President.

Attest:
William N. Gubleman, Clerk.

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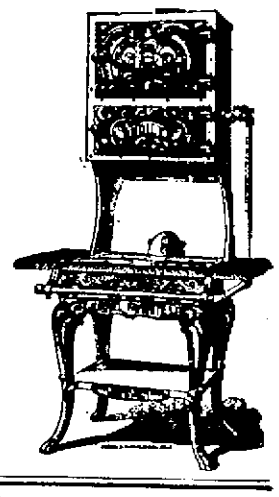

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SOME SUNDAY SERMONS DELIVERED IN THE CHURCHES OF PORTSMOUTH

A large and attentive audience packed All Saints church on Sunday evening to hear Archdeacon Joseph Dodshon deliver his beautiful and inspiring sermon on "What will you do with Jesus." Notwithstanding the inclement weather every seat in the big auditorium was filled and the large number of men present was especially noticeable. The special music for the evening was also greatly enjoyed.

Rev. Dodshon's voice was almost gone, from exertions in the earlier day services, and he only talked for half an hour. His sermon was full of beautiful suggestions and wholesome advice and was effectivly illustrated with many touching stories, told with the feeling thot does not fail to bring tears to the eyes. One story which he told was to impress the doing of the little things in life. A highly respected and a man rich in worldly goods asked admission to heaven. The guardian angel after looking in vain over the records for acts that would entitle him to admission closed the doors in his face. Just at that time a little boy asked admission and was welcomed in. Turning about he saw the man who had been refused and he at once fell upon his knees and began to beg for the man. The angel inquired of the boy what the man had done to be entitled to enter heaven. The boy told a story of how on one Christmas eve, ragged and hungry, he was standing in front of a store wishing for some toys for Christmas. Te man, passing by, saw him and took him inside and bought him the toys. On hearing this the gates were swung open and the man asked to enter. "After all," said the Archdeacon, "it is the little things that God looks at in a man's daily life, and what you are doing for your fellow men. Men are trying to do great things to get to heaven and they are neglecting the little things that Good looks for and expects you to do."

Another story that he told was about certain religious sects in Mexico stripping their bodies and having their servants to scourge their backs with lashes until the blood would trickle from the wounds to the ground. He also told Tolstoi's story of the man that was given the privilege of taking all the territory that he could run around between sunrise and sunset. The man started and the farther he went the more beautiful the lands became. He kept on and on until at last the sun was almost down. He started back and through superhuman exertion he reached the starting place just as the sun went down. He had won but he dropped dead from the exertion. He had won the coveted lands but he lost his life and they profited him nothing. "So it is with man," said he. "What does it profit us if we gain the whole world and lose our souls."

During the sermon at the opportune time Mr. DeBruin sang a beautiful solo, "You Must Do Something with Jesus," the choir and the audience joining in on the chorus. He also sang by request "One Swettly Solemn Thought." Miss Pauline Wilhelm sang a beautiful solo, the choir joining in on the chorus.

In the question box the Archdeacon was asked, among other things, if a Christian could consistently attend the theatre, play cards or dance. In substance his answer was that they could. He said that the evil in some things of life was that some persons approached them with evil thoughts and evil minds, looking for evil only. Naturally such persons would find evil in anything. That's what they look for, whereas the true Christian would find only rest, relaxation and innocent amusement. "There are some plays on the American stage today that teach a greater lesson than any sermon you can hear these days from men," said the Archdeacon.

At the afternoon service for men only the Archdeacon made one of the strongest appeals to men ever heard in the city and at the close of his remarks on "Profanity and Impurity" about one hundred men pledged themselves to try and carry out in their daily lives the counsels of the Missioner. At the Choral Eucharist in the morning Mr. Dodshon preached a sermon on Missions very different from the usual type of such sermons.

At all three services the Rev'd E. Ainger Powell, rector, made a strong appeal for a liberal offering and said that he was able to do this without any hesitation because not one penny of the offering went into the pockets of the Mission Priest. That the congregation appreciated this unusual attitude was shown by the fact that the offering, which will go to the Hocking Valley Building Fund, was very large, larger, in fact than either the rector or missioner expected.

The splendid choir of the parish was never heard to better effect than last night when they rendered the mission hymns perfectly; their singing of the famous Glory song could not be improved upon.

While the mission proper is at an end there will be services all through Lent on Wednesday and Friday evenings and on Wednesday the preacher at half past seven will be the Rev'd J. M. McGruder of Trinity church, Covington, Ky. The bishop will visit the parish to confirm a very large class on Sunday, March 19th, and on that occasion will be with us all day and will preach at both the morning and evening services. Rector Powell has been able to convince Bishop Vincent that the great revival of interest in the parish deserves this double visitation. As a rule tho bishop never officiates at more than one service.

The rector takes this opportunity of thanking his people for the splendid support which they have given him in all his plans for the welfare of the parish and congratulate the people of All Saints upon the fact that they are a unit in all things pertaining to the church's welfare. The vestry meets at 8 o'clock this evening and the vestry and officers of The Club will meet tomorrow at the same time.

First Christian.

Sunday was a great day for the First Christian church—great from any and all viewpoints. To start with the record was broken at the very first service when 1205 people were present at Sunday school. The high mark set by the pastor was passed and then some and great was the rejoicing when the secretary announced such a wonderful attendance. No one expected more than 1000 at the very best and the announcement that the figures had reached 1205 was the signal for applause. The little ones joined in the jollification, for they themselves take a keen delight in their achievements and Sunday they had a perfect right to yell. The collections at Sunday school went over $35, showing that the scholars are not only strong on attendance but long on collections.

During the day 39 persons had stepped forward and signified by their actions and confessions that they wanted to cast their lot with "The church of the cordial welcome," which brings the total number of converts under Evangelist Violett's preaching to 429, and a grand total of over 650 since the first of the year.

Is it any wonder that the members of the First Christian church are in a jubilant mood.

And owing to the fact that the interest in the meetings is at such a fever heat and as is shown by the large crowds and the many converts at each service, the official board has decreed that Rev. Violett remain here for one more week. When this announcement was made at Sunday night's service, the crowd applauded, showing that they held Rev. Violett in the highest esteem and appreciated all that he was doing to strengthen the church, both spiritually and numerically.

At the close of Sunday school the invitation was given and six grown people stepped out upon the right side, one made the good confession at the close of the morning church service, nine responded to the invitation at the afternoon sermon and 23 came forward at the close of the Evangelist's powerful sermon Sunday evening.

At the morning service the evangelist directed his remarks almost wholly to the members of the church, while in the afternoon his subject was "The Worst Thing in Portsmouth." Of course he discoursed on "Sin" and his effort was a wonderful one. He pierced the hearts of the unconcerned and conviction went straight home to those who have given but little heed to the future.

At the night service every seat in the big church was taken, even the reserve section of the Sunday school being packed and jammed. It is estimated that more than 1700 crowded their way into the building and for more than an hour the minister pictured the scenes that will surround the judgment. Rev. Violett was especially eloquent, Sunday night, and pointed out the Christian's hope in most beautiful language. He contrasted the life of the Christian with that of the sinner and pleaded for the latter to turn from the life of indolence and mockery to the one that will give them a home in that city beyond the skies.

He said in part: "There are three great facts that all natural men believe. First, the fact of God's eixstence. The man who does not believe in God is a terror to society—the man is an abnormal creature who does not believe that his Creator liveth.

"Second—Immortality, a life after death.

"Third—The Judgment, the day when wrongs shall be righted, rights vindicated and sin put to an everlasting shame. Every day is a judgment day for some soul.

"The most stupendous proposition mortal man has been called upon to reckon with is the judgment. And we will all be judged by the bible. Thank God He is to be the judge and the bible the book out of which we will be judged. I thank the good God that I will not have to be judged out of some man-made creed. If men were judged from creeds assembled here on this earth and used in many churches, most of us would be condemned.

"In the judgment day some will say, 'Lord, my preacher said this would do or that would do,' and God will answer 'What did Jesus command?' It makes me tired to hear some little pastor preach that the world is damned because of Adam's sin in the Garden of Eden. Had some of the people of Portsmouth been in Adam's place they would have swallowed the whole apple. The bible does not say one word about infant damnation and woe unto the preacher who preaches that doctrine.

"Conscience is a good guide in a moral issue—it is no guide when it comes to a question of authority. As baptism is purely a question of authority, don't depend upon your conscience when God commands you to be baptized. Don't let your feelings or your conscience delude you into accepting sprinkling for baptism—no matter what your preacher has to say about it. You do what the book tells you to do and leave the result with God. Don't you leave anything to your conscience when it comes to a question of authority, especially when it has to do with an ordinance established by Jesus Christ."

"Conscience is not an infallible guide—its the one thing that if cultivated according to the commands of the bible will lead you to heaven—if warped and seared by man-made creeds and man-made isms will send you tumbling into the very pit of hell.

"We can contract a board bill and jump it—we can owe the doctor, the grocer and the merchant, but every honest dollar you owe the butcher, the grocer or the merchant you owe it to God until that debt has been honestly paid.

"It was a great day when God called Noah, Moses and John the Baptist. It was a great day when the angels came and heralded the birth of the Babe in the manger. It was a great day when He lifted up the world in His bleeding arms as his sufferings, it was a great day when the Apostle John was called upon—the high mountain and privileged to look into the promised land, but the greatest day of all days will be when God's clock strikes twelve but once—when the doors of mercy shall be closed, when the preachers voice will be silenced and you will hear the voice saying, 'enter' and 'depart.'"

"If you are to be judged by the bible, then you should follow the teachings of that book in order to be prepared for that day. That's the reason the Christian church uses the bible as their only rule of faith and practice."

Rev. Violett will, this evening, give his famous lecture on the Passion Play, illustrated by 100 colored stereopticon slides. The doors will not open until 7:20 o'clock and only 800 tickets will be sold. The admission will be 25 cents.

Forty Hours Devotion.

The Devotion of the Forty Hours will be held at St. Mary's church this week. The exercises will begin with a solemn High mass Wednesday morning at 4:30 standard time. Masses will be celebrated every day during the devotion at the following hours: 4:30, 6, 7 and 8:30 a. m. The local clergy will be assisted by Rev. Theo. Igel of Miltonsburg, O., formerly assistant pastor of St. Mary's church, Rev. Father John Schneider and Rev. Father Domm of Columbus.

At Grandview Avenue.

Splendid and interesting services and good audiences marked the meetings held at the Grandview Avenue Christian church on Sunday. During the day seven persons were converted and nine baptized during the day. Two strong sermons were preached by the pastor, Rev. A. Preston Gray.

Sunday At Bigelow.

Yesterday was a great day for Bigelow church. The attendance was large and God's spirit was strongly manifested at every service, believers were strengthened and sinners came and took their stand for Christ.

Each and every service was greatly enjoyed by all who attended.

The attendance at Sunday school was another recordbreaker in point of the school is well organized and doing good work. Bigelow has classes for all ages, the lessons are carefully graded and thoroughly presented in each class.

The services at 10:30 were very precious. Mrs. C. E. Reed sang a beautiful solo. A number of new members were baptized and received into the church. Holy communion was administered at this service. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Eason, was assisted by Rev. Drs. Dillon, Grimes and Magee.

The evangelistic service in the evening was one that every Christian could appreciate. The opening praise service was inspiring. Miss Scarff sang a ery pleasing solo. Rev. Dr. L. L. Magee, district superintendent, preached a masterful sermon, the main thought being "The Mission of Christ." He stated that God is on the side of humanity, freedom and liberty; that Jesus Christ is the world's great emancipator. He brought a gospel of love, light and liberty to a lost and ruined world. He stated that Jesus was a toiler and it is right that every man earn his bread by the sweat of his face. In closing he told of Christ's power to save from sin and made a strong plea, for those in the congregation who were in sin, to turn from their ways.

A number came forward, took their stand for Christ. Ten new members were received at this service and a hearty welcome was extended to all members received during the day.

Trinity's Fine Sermon.

"Real Strength Can Only Come From God" was the main point in Rev. Hartinger's sermon at Trinity Sunday evening. He chose as his text "The Lord is my strength and song" and proceeded to define the truly strong man. It is not the man with the strong will, or the well developed man, that necessarily has the true strength, but it is the man of God, who is submissive in will, and in action. The man who can control himself in times of temptation and in times when his inner self is clamoring for revenge, is the strong man, while the yielding man, the man quick to anger and as quick to lose self control is the weak man.

In his review of strong men, he said that whenever a leader was needed for a special purpose that God would raise up that leader, that George Washington had been raised up as the man in times of the revolution; that Abraham Lincoln had been raised up by God to deal the death blow to slavery, and then concluded by saying that at the proper time God would raise up a national leader that would go to the presidential chair on a platform of national prohibition.

In his explanation of "The Lord is my song" he said that when God changed a man He put the music inside and made a great celestial organ in his soul. The strength that God give us overflows into music. Many men are having a hard time because they have not fallen in with the harmony of God, where there are no discords. Those that cannot enjoy to singing of the Hallelujah chorus haven't the hallelujah chorus within.

Rev. Hartinger brought his sermon to a close by a fiting illustration of the peace and happiness that comes to a troubled soul when a complete surrender is made. The illustration was from his own life. His father would give two drug stores to the son that would give his time to them. W. C. Hartinger thought that was the very chance for him, for he had that longing to get money. God wanted him to be a minister, and the contest raged within. And while he was unsurrendered, he was happy. When he gave in and did what God wanted him to do, then the peace and happiness was his and instead of W. C. Hartinger, the druggist, Trinity, the "Home-like" church, has Rev. W. C. Hartinger as pastor.

Flourishing Class.

There were 40 members in the Bible class at the German Evangelical church Sunday, an increase of 18 over the previous Sunday. Rev. G. H. Freund is the principal instructor and the services are in English.

Splendid Sermon

The largest audience in the ning spoke on "Presbyterianism, church attended the services Sunday evening. Rev. John W. Dunning spoke on "Presbyterionism, Its Teachings and Its Call."

At the morning services the trustees announced that the contributions had not been sufficiently large to meet the current expenses and that they would solicit donations.

Baptizes Members.

Sunday was a red letter day at Allen chapel and many of the older members say that they cannot remember when they have attended a general class where the spirit of God was as prominent as it was at the morning services. At night Rev. Day preached a soul stirring sermon on Baptism, and 18 were baptized and joined church. The influence of the great revival held at Allen chapel is accomplishing much good among the colored people of Portsmouth. After the evening services several candidates expressed a desire to be baptized by immersion.

Workers League.

The First Baptist church was comfortably filled, Sunday afternoon, when several hundred men affiliated with the Personal Workers League, gathered to listen to an address by the chairman of the meeting, J. H. Rhoden a shoeworker employed at the Selby Shoe Co. Mr Rhoden proved that he was somewhat of a speaker and was warmly congratulated at the close of his remarks. He stated that before Billy Sunday came here he spent half of his time in knocking the evangelist and never had one kind word for him. He said however that Sunday had not been here more than a week before he had him sitting up and taking notice and before he knew it, almost, he had him as a convert. Mr. Rhoden said that he can't praise Billy Sunday too much for what he had done for him, and he was ready at all times to defend him against the attacks of his enemies.

At the conclusion of his remarks, Chairman Rhoden called for remarks and it was a sight to see the Sunday converts jump to their feet and testify. There were four and five talking at once and it was necessary to bring the meeting to a close long before half of the converts had had a chance to testify. Four men present asked for prayer, and the uplift of this particular meeting reminded those present of a men's meeting with Billy Sunday, the magnet.

To show that they were in a charitable mood, the men present gave $17, which will be sent to the stricken Chinese, who are dying by the thousands from starvation. The collection was taken at the request of George Carroll, who have become quite active in religious work since the Sunday meetings. Mr. Carroll secured about $6 additional to this collection and it will be turned over to the collections taken Sunday for the Chinese.

Next Sunday the Personal Workers will meet at the German Methodist church at 2:45 o'clock. A leader for this meeting has not as yet been named. It was the intention of President Rideout to act as chairman, but Mr. Neff has fallen a victim of typhoid fever, and it will be impossible for him to serve at this particular meeting.

The Personal Workers will also meet at the R. R. Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, with Officer Sam Phillips as leader.

Edward Nugent, Sr., who has been laid up at his home on West Front street all winter, is reported holding his own.

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To Let Contract For Rebuilding Bridge

Bluefield, W. Va., March 6.—Contracts for the rebuilding of the Norfolk and Western railroad bridge across the Ohio at Ceredo will be awarded within the next few days, and work on the bridge will be started during the coming summer. Owing to the heavy coal tonnage that crosses this bridge from the great coal fields of the southeastern section of this state, the company thought it necessary to erect a new bridge, and bids were opened several days ago.

The Virginia Railroad is seeking an outlet to the northwest for its coal tonnage, and is arranging to award a contract for the construction of a bridge to span the Ohio between Huntington and Point Pleasant. This bridge will form a connecting link from the great coal fields of this state to the far west.

When these bridges are completed five railroad bridges will span the Ohio river from this state, forming connecting links both with the middle and far western states. Several million dollars will be spent in completing the work on the bridges during the coming summer.

CLINE GETS TWO YEARS

Athens, O., March 6.—Thos. J. Cline, a patrolman of Nelsonville, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary by Judge Wood Saturday, for the killing of John Lanning last June, while in an intoxicated condition. Lanning was fleeing from Cline, who shot and instantly killed him.

Families Had Lively Scrap

A wordy war at the McMullen home, 455 Jackson street, Sunday night caused quite a disturbance in the neighborhood and resulted in an appeal for a policeman to quell the noise makers. Officer Diffen responded and quickly restored order.

N. & W. OCCUPIES ITS NEW OFFICE BUILDING

Roanoke, Va., March 6.—The Norfolk & Western Railway Company has occupied its new office building here.

The new building fronts on Shenandoah avenue, a short distance east of the Randolph street bridge. It has a frontage of 95 feet and width of 53 feet, and presents a very handsome appearance. It is fireproof, being of steel frame, and constructed of reinforced concrete with exterior of red pressed brick; roof of concrete, covered with slate; metal cornice.

The wood work is in natural pine. There are three full stories, a fine basement and a large attic room. Iron stairways run from floor to floor. It cost about $40,000.

On the first floor in the east end is the office of Prof. P. C. Leary, chief clerk of the superintendent of motive power, and his eighteen clerks, who occupy a room the full width of the building. On the south side of each hall is a vault 17x23, in which the books and valuable papers are stored. In the middle of this floor is the office of Mr. C. M. Kidd, general air brake inspector. At the west end is the office of Prof. W. K. Carr, the chief car inspector and that of H. W. Coddington and J. J. Burch, engineers of test.

On the second floor, at the east end, is the office of Mr. John E. Reichart, chief of the time-keeping department, with his ten clerks.

In the middle of this floor is the committee room, in which conferences are held between the officers and the shop workers, when minor differences are adjusted or shop matters discussed.

In the west end of this floor is the office of Colonel W. H. Lewis, superintendent of motive power. Adjoining is the office of his stenographer, Mr. John Thomas. Across the hall the office of Mr. A. Kearney, assistant superintendent of motive power, and adjoining the office of his stenographer, Mr. Heckman.

The entire third floor is devoted to the mechanical engineering department. Mr. John A. Pilcher is chief mechanical engineer, and Mr. R. H. Persinger, chief draughtsman. This room runs the full length, and there are eleven draughtsmen and two apprentices at work. The room is well lighted naturally, and artificially has the first Cooper Hewitt mercury vapor lighting system in the state.

The mercury is in glass tubes, with reflectors attached to the ceiling and when the current is turned on a beautiful blue light floods the large room. This light has no effect on the eyes whatever, and when most brilliant one can turn the eyes close to it without "blinking."

The same light is used to make blue prints. Two men have to work steadily in the blue print room to keep up with the draughting department.

The blue print room is equipped with the very latest improved apparatus. The attic is more than six feet clear in height, and furnishes all the storage room that the office will require.

One end of the basement is used as a storage place for the electrical department, while the other is used by the Union News Company.

Now that the shop officers are well quartered, the freight depot people come next, but it is stated officially that it will not be erected this year.

SHOT IN EYE WITH ARROW

Hamden, O., March 6.—Seeking to imitate the noble red man cost little Earl Glenn, son of Rev. F. M. Glenn, of near Vinton, one eye, which, it is feared, will have to be removed in order to save the other eye. With a number of companions who were using bows and arrows as weapons, the lads were playing Indian, when a stray shot pierced his eye.

Fred Leppin of South Webster, returned here Saturday from Cincinnati where he rented a new home which he hopes to occupy within a few weeks.

ERECTING A NEW SHOP

The Portsmouth Steel Company has commenced the erection of a new blacksmith shop at their plant of large dimensions in order to make space for their increasing working force in that department. The building will be a most substantial one being constructed entirely of steel.

Plans Completed.
Architects Devoss and Wilson Monday completed the plans for the new Sunday school building to be erected on West Fifth street by the German Evangelical church. The trustees will meet Wednesday night to pass upon the plans. The improvement will cost about $7,000.

Was In Wreck.
Henry T. Bannon received a letter Monday from Washington that evidently had figured in a wreck in which the baggage car took fire. The envelope was almost burned off and part of the letter was hardly discernible.

Go To Virginia.
Attorney A. H. Bannon and Dudley Curtis of the Ryan Construction Co., left Monday for Lynchburg, Va., where they are interested in some big contracts that will be awarded Tuesday.

Built An Office.
John Rottinghaus, a Market street hardware dealer, has built a fine office in the rear of his place of business, which he moved into Monday.

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EVENING TIMES SPORTS

Urbana Is After Lancaster's Club

Lancaster, O., March 6.—Urbana is after the Lancaster franchise in the Ohio State League and unless the citizens get busy in this city, Mr. Ruff will dispose of the same. He went through the season last year single-handed and lost considerable money, and he does not propose to do it again this year. The Urbana people have offered him $1,500 for the franchise, but rather than let it go and the pride he takes in his home city he will pilot the team again here this season if he can get some encouragement, and it is no more than right that he should have it. Some of the fans have got together and will endeavor to raise $750 to put up for the guarantee and give Mr. Ruff to understand that if he finishes the season that the guarantee will be his at the windup.

There are other propositions that are talked of, one being that the Lancaster Commercial Club take hold of the team. This idea has met with encouragement among some of the influential members and will be brought up at the next meeting. Another is that a stock company be formed the same as was formerly, elect a board of control and assist Mr. Ruff, both financially and in the management of affairs. One of these propositions will be worked out within another week, and it is hoped that Lancaster will be found to be front when the league meets on the 15th of this month.

Mr. Ruff is going ahead securing players and in case that the fans here do not come to his rescue that he will have a good bunch of players to turn over to Urbana, if he makes the sale and the league sanctions it.

EX-MARIONITE DOING WELL IN SOUTH

Columbus, O., March 6.—Sanford Koob, former Marion pitcher training with the Brooklyn club in the South, writes a friend here that he is working hard to get control, which has been his chief fault. He says that he feels in good physical condition after his operation. His good pitching of Friday in a six-inning practice game won for him commendation from the war correspondents.

MAY SELL TO URBANA

According to a message sent out from Lancaster Sunday unless the fans of that city loosen up Owner Ruff is going to sell his franchise to Urbana. This city has offered $1500 cold cash for the Lank outfit.

Lancaster seems to have grown indifferent to the baseball proposition and the wide awake fans of Urbana are crazy about breaking into the classy Ohio State league and they would liberally support the team.

RAGSDALE WAS SOLD

Huntington, W. Va., March 6.—Catcher Ragsdale, of the Huntington team of the Mountain State League, has been sold to Buffalo of the Eastern League. Manager Stallings landed a promising man in this hard-hitting backstop, and it will take some hustling to keep him from being a regular. This is the fourth man to go up from Manager Dutch Knoesel's team.

Middletown, March 6.—Hamilton, having gone into the Ohio State League, has resigned from the I. O. league.

Health Board.

The board of health will have a regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the council chamber.

HOPE TO SELL 1,000 BOOKS

The Hamilton, O., News says:

"Plans for the campaign to sell 1000 books of tickets for the State League baseball season were completed at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday

"The city was apportioned into districts and each placed in charge of a chairman Most of the committee chairmen were present and agreed to turn up at the Hotel Atlas Tuesday and begin work.

Duffy In Florida.

Jim Duffy, a former Portsmouth favorite, writes from Ormond, Florida, that he has had a great time there this winter and that he has secured an excellent berth for the coming baseball season.

"RED" GOWDY WORKS HARD

Columbus, O., March 6. If sheer courage will do anything for "Red" Gowdy, he is sure to stick with the Giants. It is a known fact that when he went to Lancaster for his first trial, he had batted but .158 in the Capital City League. He beat his way to the front there and again at Dallas pulled up as the champion batsman of the Texas circuit. He has set his heart on winning a stay with the Giants all season as a catcher or sub-firstbaseman and will very likely do it.

New Cobbler Signed Up

Albert P. O'Brien is the name of a new Cobbler whose signed contract was received Monday afternoon by President Will Gableman. The new player is a first baseman, and hails from Lewiston, Me., and is a jewel in the rough according to Henry Breen, former crack outgardener of the Childs brigade, who recommended and signed the new man.

O'DAY IS AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, O., March 6.—Chas. O'Day of Decatur, Ill., who is to manage the local team in the Ohio State league, is here and announces that he has signed Albert Dude, a first baseman, who played in the Chicago City league last year and Ray Frost, a giant pitcher of Cincinnati. Frost is 6 feet 5 inches and played with an amateur club in the Queen City last summer.

PLANNING FOR ATHLETICS

It was announced Monday that an athletic association would be formed at the Second Presbyterian church, Thursday evening. It is thought that the men of the church and Sunday school will take hold of the proposition with vigor, and the result will be one of the strongest athletic associations in the city. The basement of the new church will likely be fitted out with shower baths and athletic apparatus, and will be open at all hours to the members.

Bowlers Are To Start

The two men bowling tournament will be set in motion tonight at the Play House alleys. The opening games will be rolled by George Wilhelm and Frank Sheridan and Joe Kountz and John Doherty. Total pins will count.

Bridwell Suggests New Training Stunt

(By Sam Crane.)

Marlin Springs, Tex., March 6.—Al Bridwell, who is a careful student of baseball, has thought of a new plan for batting practice during spring training that he thinks will benefit the batsmen very materially. Brid. advocates that the pitchers, while giving batting practice to the other players by putting the ball over the plate as often as possible, be made to pitch from a box only forty-five feet away from the plate, instead of the present distance.

The back end of the pitcher's box, under the present rules, is sixty feet, five inches from the plate. The stride that the pitchers take feet away from the batter when it leaves the pitcher's hand. Under Bridwell's plan that distance would brings the ball to about fifty-five be reduced to about forty feet.

Now fifteen feet less is a whole lot to a player at the bat, and the pitcher, if he happens to be a tall fellow like Mathewson, Druske, Tesreau, Shontz or Wilhe, will look to the batter as if he was right on top of him, and the speed of the ball as it whistles over the plate will appear to be accelerated enormously. But that is just the thing that Bridwell thinks will help the batter's eye and confidence when he comes to face the pitcher under the rule of distance that now prevails.

It will be on the principle that when a man puts on heavy shoes to run in, when he dons his baseball or sprinting shoes he feels as light as a feather and imagines he is flying.

Bridwell does not go so far as to suggest that the regular pitchers be made to pitch the shorter distance, but that some hard, speedy thrower be utilized, who may not necessarily be a pitcher, but a player who can get the ball "in the groove" and with great swiftness.

By using the pitchers they might get off their stride and also lose command of their curves.

Bridwell thinks at the shorter distance batters would get a snap swing and batting eye that could almost count the stitches on the ball, and that when they went up against pitchers at the longer distance the swiftest pitching would seem like gentle wafts.

There is a good deal of good logic in Bridwell's plan. He has tried the scheme the past winter by having husky kids of his native town get up before him and just slam the ball as hard as they could. He says he thinks that it has worked with him as he had figured out that it would, and in practice yesterday he did sting the ball harder than I have ever seen him do before.

It will be an innovation in batting practice anyhow, and the plan looks quite feasible. McGraw says he will possibly inaugurate the new plan some day next week.

The manager is always ready to take up with any new ideas that promise good results. McGraw played ball, too, when the regulation distance of the box from the plate was forty-five feet, and he knows that the shorter distance did not handicap the batters of those days to any extent that could be noticed.

SAYS THE N.&W. GRABS PIKE

Joseph H. Brand, of Lucasville, writes the county commissioners that the Norfolk and Western railroad is encroaching upon the pike near the underground crossing at the Milner farm, much to the obstruction of the road at that point. He says that the encroachment has been going on for some time, and that if it is not stopped immediately, the road will soon be impassible.

The commissioners and the prosecutor decided to go out and see the condition of things. The railroad company is already enjoined from encroaching upon the pike at that point, and the board is anxious to see if it is disregarding the order of the court.

Robert Lewis Is Singing

Robert Lewis, proprietor of the Colonial pool room, is in Cincinnati receiving a tryout at one of the picture houses of that city. If his voice comes up to expectations, he will be offered a contract.

Ralph Hunter Taken Sick

Ralph Hunter, who is employed as a solicitor for the Times-Star, was taken sick with chills and fever in Maysville Saturday. He came here Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Mahan, of East Ninth street. He left Monday for his home in Chillicothe to recuperate.

The company that will present "The Rosary" at the Grand tonight arrived Sunday from Ironton, where it played to splendid business.

Crayon Stripes. Three Little Tailors. 6-1

WILL PLAY AT CONEY ISLAND

An arrangement was perfected Monday, whereby the Christian church Sunday school secured possession of Coney Island park on Saturday afternoons during the coming summer. The Sunday school will at once form four teams and the schedule will be out within a few weeks, as it is hoped to start the season by the first of May.

The managers of the league are congratulating themselves over securing the grounds, as there were several different Sunday schools anxious to secure the grounds.

The Sunday school agreed to take at least 1,600 ferry tickets and this appealed strongly to Messrs. Davis and Heer.

Is Much Better.

There was a perceptible change for the better observed Monday in the condition of Mrs. Mary Findeis, who has been critically ill at home on Market street.

Treat In Store For Christian Church

Announcements made in First Christian church yesterday by the pastor, indicate some important days and some great treats in the near future. This church has enjoyed many good things and been greatly blessed in recent weeks. During the Sunday campaign and since, in the revival being held by E. E. Violett, more than six hundred new members have been added to the church, and the meeting is to continue through this week. On the first Sunday in April this church and bible school is to enjoy a visit from Mr. Herbert Moninger, one of the world's greatest Sunday school specialists. On Easter Sunday, March 10th, Mr. I. N. McCash, secretary of the American Christian Missionary Society, will visit the two Christian churches, First and Grandview, with helpful messages. Mr. McCash is a great preacher and one of the best posted men on missions in America. Then comes the state convention of the Ohio Christian Missionary Society, which meets here May 23d to 25th. This will be a great gathering of christian workers from almost every church in Ohio. A fine program, on which are some of the most distinguished men and women in America, will be given on these three days.

A Big Sale Was Made

Bruce Plummer, a salesman in the employ of Burt & Hall, Monday morning probably made the biggest individual sale ever made by a local clerk. He sold eight Hungarians each a complete outfit—suits, shoes and hats—the aggregate bill amounting to over $250.

WHAT? THAT AIR SHIP!

What he believes to be certain evidence of an air ship having passed over Portsmouth Saturday night was a brand new hatchet, George Clark, a shoeworker, found in a rear yard of his home at No. 29 East Third street, Sunday. Clark says it resembles a lath hatchet and was sunk in the ground in about the center of his yard. He feels positive that no one placed it there, and that it must have dropped out of the skies.

Is Hunting Nannie

William Webb is still on a quiet hunt for his missing wife, Nannie Webb, who deserted him a few days ago for alleged abuse. Webb has learned that the woman did not leave for Charleston, as reported. He vainly tried to learn Sunday what had become of her trunk. Interstate Transfer Company employes refused to give the desired information. It is said the woman is at some home on Mill street.

Is Burned To Death

N. & W. Brakeman, Carl Vincent brings to the city the report that the pump man at the N. & W. water tank at Crum, W. Va., was burned to death, early Sunday morning. Mr. Vincent did not know the man's name.

It is said that the unfortunate man was standing near a five gallon can of gasoline, when it exploded, throwing the fluid all over him. The man ran to the outside of the pumping station and yelled at the top of his voice for help. By the time it arrived he was burned to a crisp.

Noted Catcher Cannot Come

Paddy Livingston, a catcher for the Philadelphia Americans, the champions of the world, is a son of Holden Livingston, of East Front street, who died Saturday.

Mr. Livingston wired his relatives Monday that he will be unable to arrive here in time for the funeral.

Livingston formerly caught for Cincinnati and Indianapolis.

Emil Doerr went to Columbus Saturday afternoon to accompany home his wife, who has been visiting friends there.

Sam Was Jealous

Sam Johnson, a colored vault digger, was arrested Sunday night on complaint of Mario Wright of Fifteenth street, also colored. It seems Samuel persisted in forcing his attentions on the woman and Sunday when he went to her home and found her dancing a two-step with another citizen, Sam got jealous and threatened to kill her.

The woman did not care to prosecute in police court Monday but wanted Mistah Johnson kept from her house, so on his promise to stay away the defendant was allowed to go.

Are Going To Texas

Tom Nichols and Earl Burchett, two South Portsmouth young men, are preparing to go to Houston, Texas, for their health. The former had been studying law at Valparaiso, Ind., when his health failed. Burchett is employed at the Portsmouth Shoe company's factory.

Miss Mattie Price, of East Eleventh street, who has been a grip victim for the past week, was able to be out Monday.

Are Laying Brick.

Work of laying brick for the new Gilbert building was commenced Monday morning. The city water works force put in a new fire plug to replace the old one on the sidewalk in front of the building.

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MUSICAL NUMBERS.
"I Won't Be Back Till August," "Johnny Wise," "All I Ask o fYou is Love," "Tootzie Gazelle," "I'd Like to Tell Your Fortune," "Dreary Moon" "The Banshee" and "The Right Little Girl," are the songs that will be sung.
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Commercial Club Decided to Disband

At a meeting of stockholders of the Commercial club held Saturday evening, the action of the directors in deciding to disband the club and sell the property on East Second street, was unanimously approved. The directors were instructed to go ahead and close up affairs.

This will be done at once, the building sold and the club disbanded. It is said that some of the members will form a new organization with limited membership, and secure quarters elsewhere. The Manufacturers association which has had quarters with the club will secure a room in the Masonic Temple.

The club is the outgrowth of the old Morton club, a Republican political club which had quarters on West Front street in what is now the Augustin home. Later it was reorganized and renamed the Commercial club, securing the Uri Tracy homestead on East Second. It has occupied this over ten years.

SUNDAY FREIGHTS ARE CUT OUT BY THE N. & W.

In pursuance of the retrenchment policy of the Norfolk & Western, an order went into effect Sunday by which no freight trains, excepting "time freights" are to be moved between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. on Sundays. The order affects the entire Norfolk & Western system and is in effect until further notice. The "time freights" handle perishable goods and what is known in railroad circles as red tag freight only.

Yard engines and yard crews are also affected by the order, it is understood.

South Webster Is Asking New Road

Dr. Arthur Stephens and W. J. Mossbarger, of South Webster, headed a delegation from South Webster and Bloom township before the county commissioners on Monday relative to the establishing of a new road from the Jackson county line to South Webster around what is known as Sargeant's Hill, a distance of about three miles. With the delegates were Philip Meldick and Oscar Gilliland, two of the wealthiest farmers of southern Jackson county, who have a great deal of business at South Webster.

Jackson county has built a new road to the Scioto county line, but it cannot be used to much advantage until the road is opened up through Scioto county. Two large bridges, constructed within the last year, are practically useless by reason of the road not being opened up in this county.

Dr. Stephens made a great plea before the board for the establishment of the road. He said that the wealthy farmers of southern Jackson county could not get into South Webster for half the year on account of the condition of the road, and had to haul all their produce to Jackson and Oak Hill, a distance of from twelve to fifteen miles, when it is only about three or four miles to South Webster. He said that their little village is practically cut off from the rest of the world by the bad roads, much to the loss of their merchants and citizens. He also stated that Bloom township, during the last three years had paid over $50,000 in taxes and that they had not received over $5,000 benefits. He thought that Bloom should be given her share of the improvements.

The board adjourned for dinner after Mr. Stephens had spoken, and the other geneltmen spoke in behalf of the proposition in the afternoon.

Miss Emma Neil arrived here from Huntington Saturday for a few days' visit to her sister, Mrs. John Capehart.

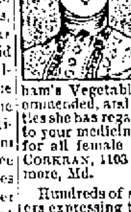
New Salesman.

E. C. Sparta of Little, Tenn., is a new traveling salesman for the Lloyd-Adams Shoe Co. He left Saturday on his initial swing all through the South.

Ed Bender, the stricken blacksmith, is much worse and no one is now permitted to visit him.

MY DAUGHTER WAS CURED

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Baltimore, Md.—"I send you herewith the picture of my fifteen year old daughter Alice, who was restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She was pale, with dark circles under her eyes, weak and irritable. Two different doctors treated her and called it Green Sickness, but she grew worse all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended, and after taking three bottles she has regained her health, thanks to your medicine. I can recommend it for all female troubles."—Mrs. L. A. CORKRAN, 1103 Rutland Street, Baltimore, Md.

Hundreds of such letters from mothers expressing their gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has accomplished for them have been received by the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company, Lynn, Mass.

Young Girls, Heed This Advice. Girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion, should take immediate action and be restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Thousands have been restored to health by its use.

Write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice, free.

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Superior Mixed Paint

IS THE PAINT TO HAVE WHEN YOU HAVE TO PAINT.

Four years of actual service in this city and vicinity have proven its value both on inside and outside work.

It is inexpensive but 50 per cent. better than you have yet used. Proofs and Paint to be had from

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209, 211, 213 MARKET STREET.

Is the Tuberculosis Crusade Losing Ground?

Despite all the efforts being made by advocates of fresh air and egg-and-milk treatments, the number of new cases has not been noticeably decreased.

Write to us and ask to be referred to clergymen, Priests, men and women who took Eckman's Alterative and are today well and strong without a trace of tuberculosis—pronounced so by physicians. Some of them took the Alterative 15 years ago when doctors said they would not live 10 weeks.

Could anything be fairer to yourself and those who love you and would do anything to restore you to health? If you are skeptical—investigate us, our medicine, our advertised statements. Write to those who have sent in affidavits and testimonials telling how Eckman's Alterative cured them. Here is one:

5323 Girard Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

Gentlemen: "In the winter of 1903, I had an attack of Grippe, followed by Pneumonia and later by Consumption. I grew steadily worse. In the winter of 1904 I had cough, night sweats, fever and raised quantities of awful looking stuff and later, I had many hemorrhages; at one time, three in three successive days. Milk and eggs became so distasteful I could keep nothing down. Three physicians treated me. I was ordered to the mountains, but did not go. Eckman's Alterative was recommended by a friend. After taking a small quantity I had the first quiet night's sleep for weeks. My improvement was marked from the first. I gained strength and weight and appetite. I never had another hemorrhage and my cough gradually lessened until entirely gone. I am perfectly well. Everything I say here can be verified by my family and friends."

(Signed Affidavit) Annie Floyd Loughran.

Eckman's Alterative cures Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever; Throat and Lung Affections. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to the Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence. For Sale by all leading druggists and at The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy Portsmouth, Ohio.

SENT MONEY FOR THE CHINESE

Mayor Searcy Monday sent $46 to New York City as a donation to the Chinese famine fund. Of this amount $23 was raised by the Personal Workers league, $12 by the German Evangelical church, $5 by the Y. M. C. A., $5 given by E. F. Rideout and $1 by Vallee Harold. No more money will be sent until next Monday.

The Usual Fine.

"White Wing" John Henderson faced the mayor in police court Monday morning on the same charge—plain drunk. Mayor Searcy gave John quite a talking to, telling him that he had been let go innumerable times on account of his family, that he had been dealt with leniently, but now he had reached the limit and more than became a chronic law breaker.

"White Wing" was penitent with a workhouse sentence staring him right in the face, but on his promise to part company with John Barleycorn, was allowed to go after paying $5.80.

New Residents.

L. F. Schrader, employe of the steel mill moved his family from Logan to Portsmouth and they will reside on Oakland avenue.

The family of J. S. Moore, new N. & W. yard master at East Portsmouth arrived here Monday from New York. They will occupy the property at 438 East Fourth street.

To Leave Soon

Ed Gray and family will leave within two weeks for their new home near Jamestown, N. Y., where he recently purchased a fine farm. Mr. Gray has been conducting a restaurant on East Tenth street for the past two years.

To Move Away.

Charles Brown of East Fourth street, who but recently secured a promotion with the Standard Oil Co, and whose headquarters will be at Baltimore, is preparing to move his family to that city. His property in this city is for sale.

Go To Columbus.

Mrs. Sarah Gallagher and brother, Irving Pyles, who made their home with their late Isaac Pyles, of the West Side, left for Columbus Monday where they will reside with a sister, Mrs. Edwin Strickland.

Fine Write-Up.

The current issue of The Shoe Retailer, a paper published in the interest of the shoe industry, contains an excellent picture of George D. Selby and his four sons, together with quite a complimentary write-up and biographical sketch of the Selby family.

Ill With Typhoid.

Earl Mitchell, a popular and highly esteemed young farmer of the West Side, is very low with typhoid fever. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Jackson Cropper has purchased a fine mule team from John [illegible], the transfer man of Clay street. The team will be used in the street cleaning department.

Mr. Schneider Better.

Asst. Service Director George H. Schneider, who has been pretty sick for a few days is rapidly improving and expects to get back on the job Tuesday.

Judge A. T. Holcomb is in Columbus trying a very important law suit in which he is counsel.

The New Spring Tailored Suits, Dresses, Coats, Waists, Skirts, And Millinery Are Ready For Your Approval

The wonderful success of our store has inspired us to extra efforts this spring in furnishing exclusive lines, and giving even better values than heretofore. We purpose to make this new store so thoroughly good in service, and provide such luxury in style at sensible prices that critical women will be quick to appreciate it.

While our entire line of spring garments has not arirved, enough are here to make a very credible showing. We invite you all to inspect our early display.

NEW SPRING TAILORED SUITS

An infinite variety of models in Serges, Worsteds, Tweeds, Rough Suitings, Basket weaves and Home Spuns, Coats in the late 24 to 25 inch lengths, Skirts the new straight gored or panel effects, every garment an exclusive style. Workmanship and fit beyond comparison price from

$10.00 to $37.50

Practical Beauty in Stylish Spring Dresses

A most attractive group of spring Costumes for street and afternoon wear in Messalines, Foulards, Serges, Challies, Marquisettes and Lingerie etc. High and low neck effects in ¾ Kimona sleeve, some with girdle effect prices from

$10.00 to $30.00

COATS FOR SPRING--EXCLUSIVE STYLES

The new spring Coats appropriate for Auto or Street wear are unlike any that you may see, on newness and design. You surely must see them. Long straight lines are dominant on every model. The most noteworthy feature being their unusually becoming our line effect from shoulder to hem. Basket weaves, Home Spuns, Serges and Novelty Worsteds on all desirable colorings at prices from

$7.50 to $25.00

NEW SPRING SKIRTS

The designs and values in these new spring Skirts are so attractive that it is impossible to duplicate. Stunning new straight line styles, new panel effects, and countless new good and pleated models in Voiles, Panamas, Serges, Worsteds and Mixtures in black and white and all the new spring colors. Prices from

$2.98 to $17.50

Those Exclusive Features of Style

that experience has taught you to associate with Goodman's apparel are readily recognized in the spring garments now ready.

"The Style Shop"

Goodman Bros. & Co.

EXCLUSIVE OUTFITTERS FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, 222 Chillicothe St

"The Style Shop" of Portsmouth

To be exclusive in style, rank first as a center for smart outer wear, prices the lowest for reliable goods, are the points on which our success has hinged.

Mat Spellacy Home At Columbus Burns

Friends of Mr. Matthew Spellacy, the contractor, and sisters, who formerly resided on the West Side will be sorry to hear their fine home near Columbus, where they moved some years ago, was destroyed by fire Saturday. The following account of the fire appeared in Sunday's Columbus Journal:

"The residence of Matthew Spellacy, at Alton, six miles west of the city, was destroyed by fire Saturday. The village had no means of fighting the flames.

"A defective flue started the blaze. The family and others succeeded in carrying out nearly all the furniture from the lower floor.

"The local fire department was called, but when it was learned that no water could be obtained it was decided that it would be useless to send the apparatus.

"Loss on the residence was total, and with that of the contents, will reach several thousand dollars"

PICTURE SHOW IN NEW CARR BLOCK

J. F. Carr Monday authorized the announcement that a building, the ground floor of which will be devoted to moving pictures, would be erected on the Neudoerfer property, which he recently acquired.

The plans and specifications are practically completed and were drawn up by a Cincinnati architect. They call for a handsome three story building, the two top floors being constructed for renting purposes. Mr. Carr stated that he had good reasons to withhold his plans until today.

The pictorial theatre is to be a very handsome affair. It will have an ornate front and its seating capacity will be 350. There will be a 25-foot ceiling and the building is to be built in conjunction with the First National bank building.

Mr. Carr stated Monday that it is planned now to have the new theatre ready for formal dedication on the Fourth of July. It will be financed by a stock company of local business men.

To Open Bids.

Bids for the construction of the concrete livery barn Jacob Werner is going to erect in the rear of his property on Gallia street will be opened Wednesday by Architects Devoss and Wilson.

Julius Arbogast, who conducts a saloon in Chillicothe, spent Sunday in this city with his family.

THE BRAGDON DRY GOODS COMPANY

We Never Started a Season

with so many fine values. Never such a splendid collection of merchandise to start the first spring month.

Ready-to-Wear Garments

Our garment department is an interesting corner these days.

New spring tailored suits of the cleverest models.

New spring Dresses, in Serges, Foulards, Messaline, Taffetas and Wash fabries, right up to date in every detail.

Wash Dresses for girls. A choice assortment. 4 to 16 years in Percales, Ginghams, Lawns, Linens, etc.

New spring Embroidered Waists, Black Soisiette Waists, Percale Waists, Silk Waists.

New Silk and Heatherbloom Petticoats.

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, special .. $2.98

Black Imitation Heatherbloom Petticoats 39c

Genuine Heatherbloom Petticoats .$1.48

New Spring Coats. Long and Short lengths.

Wash Fabrics

Silk finish Foulards, well worth 25c. Special .... 15c yd

Fine Madras Cloths. 25c value 15c yd

New Spring Ginghams. 12½c values at .... 10c yd

27 in. Embroiderey flouncings 35c and up

New White Goods plain and fancy in a vast variety of patterns and weights.

Full size Bleached Sheets. Special 42c

36x45 Pillow Slips 10c

60 in. Mercerized Table Damask 39c yd

Napkins to match .... $1.00 dozen

All pure Linen Damask in Bleached or ½ Bleached .... 50c yd

New Chamoisette Gloves. 50c values at .... 25c pr.

New fine Lisle Hose. 50c values 25c pr.

New fine Lisle finish Hose. 25c value at .... 15c pr

Misses' fine Lisle finish Ribbed Hose at .... 15c pr

You will soon be ready for spring housecleaning. Don't fail to see our line of Rugs, Linoleum, Mattings and Curtain goods. Get our prices, they are always interesting.

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Fast train service, Only two changes of cars. For further information Call on or address S. B. Adams, Pass. Agent. "No trouble to answer questions."

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TIME TABLE

In effect Oct. 9, 1910.

West Bound

No. 1 daily, fast train..7:14 a. m.
No. 3 daily, fast train..1:54 p. m.
No. 7 daily, local ......2:20 p. m.
No. 5 daily, fast train . 4:33 a. m.
No. 17 d'ly ex Sun local 7:14 a. m.

East Bound.

No. 2 daily, fast train..2:44 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train..11:43 p. m.
No. 6 daily, local ....11:31 a. m.
No. 8 daily, fast train . 10:31 p m
No. 16 d'ly ex. Sun local 7:23 p. m

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